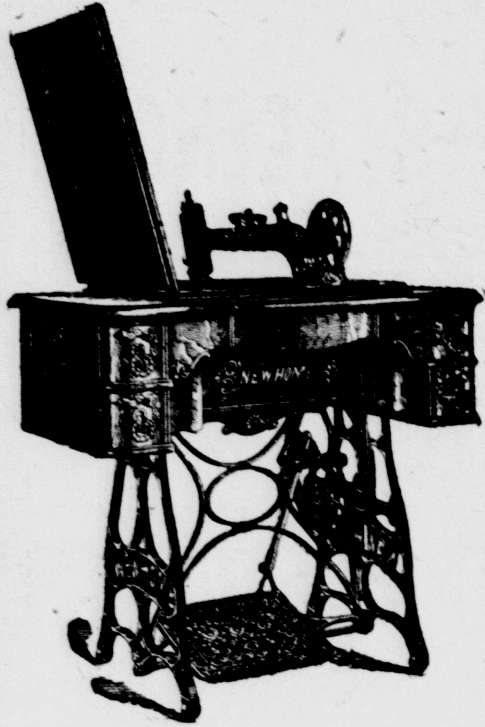


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### MAKING READY FOR FRANTZ.

Bunting and Flags Galore in Convention Hall.

A committee of local republicans is busily engaged this afternoon in decorating the U. S. court room with bunting and flags and making other preparations for the county convention and the reception of Governor Frantz tomorrow.

The governor, accompanied by Mrs. Frantz, will arrive on the 11:10 Katy. Friends in the city will spare no efforts to make their visit in Ada memorably pleasant.

The combined attractions of the speech by Governor Frantz will doubtless bring an unusually large crowd to Pontotoc's county seat.

Organization of the convention will be perfected at the morning session, and the governor will speak at two in the afternoon.

### Nabbed in Transit.

Richard Pool, wanted on a charge of bootlegging, bought a ticket at Tyrola today for Atoka. But he did not get to ride it out. Deputy Brents took him off when he reached Ada. Deputy Chapman was searching for him in the Tyrola country.

## FILE BRIEF FOR BONAPARTE

### Convention Attorneys will Show Secretary that Initiative and Referendum is All Right

Guthrie, Okla., July 17.—For the purpose of citing Attorney General Bonaparte their reasons, arguments and authorities for believing the initiative and referendum provision of the constitution to be republican in form, the leading attorneys of the convention will file with him a brief, setting forth all their opinions in the matter together with court decisions.

This statement was made today by Delegate "Bob" Williams of Durant, one of the most consistent advocates of the initiative and referendum in the constitutional convention and democratic nominee for the state supreme bench. This brief will be prepared in the near future and will be filed with Bonaparte prior to the time the Oklahoma constitution reaches President Roosevelt for his approval.

Delegate Williams contends that the decision of the Oregon supreme court, that the initiative and referendum is republican, makes good the proposition in Oklahoma, and that amending this provision in the constitution, so that the legislature may repeal any law initiated by the people, practically inserts the Oregon court opinion in the Oklahoma constitution.

Mr. Williams concedes that nothing has been taken away from the retary Filson next Monday, and Governor Frantz will not issue his election proclamation until after it is filed.

on the other hand it is even clearer than before, and if anything stronger, that it cites the fact that the provision is not un-republican in form.

Delegate Williams holds, like Gov. Frantz, that once when the proposed constitution had been officially filed with the territorial Secretary Filson, as such officer, it can not again be recalled for amendment. On the other hand he holds that the election ordinance can be recalled for changing, for the reason that the ordinance is a law, while the constitution is not and the constitution on which Governor Frantz issues his election proclamation submitting it to the people, can not be called back after it is officially filed and the proclamation issued.

Williams believes that in case a writ of supersedeas should be granted the Woods county attorneys in Washington, the delegates can re-convene and annul their action setting the election date for September 17. He believes that the United States supreme court will give the matter precedence in case the writ is issued and would hear it early after reconvening in October.

President Murray again stated today he will file the constitution with Secretary Filson next Monday, and Governor Frantz will not issue his election proclamation until after it is filed.

## CONVENTION AT TULSA AUG. 1

### Then Republicans will Decide What to Do—Elaborate Preparations for the Coming of Taft

Oklahoma City, July 18.—Chairman J. L. Hamon of the republican central committee today issued the call for the republican convention to be held at Tulsa, August 1, at 10 o'clock. The call was issued after a conference on the part of chairman Hamon with prominent republicans and members of the state committee. In it he calls attention to the fact that the original delegate apportionment will be held in the new state. All portions of the proposed state will be represented in the committees, and arrangements are being made to ask the republicans with bands in a master flambeau to be given just preceding in convention hall.

Meeting I. M. Holcomb was permanent chairman of the evening in charge the entering Mr. Taft. He will immediately the various sub-committee charge of the affair.

These republicans will be upwards of sixty in number. In one of the census maps discovered that in his of Johnson, President had made an error in leaving out two entire

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Justice of the Peace, J. P. Roberts, J. A. Mercer; Constables, D. L. Galey,

## CANT TRAIL FRAUDULENT WARRANTS.

### Government Agent Discovers no Recirculation.

Muskogee, July 19.—James. P. Foster, a special agent representing the department of justice who has been here more than a year for the purpose of discovering if possible just how much money the Choctaw Nation owes, has completed his work and will leave in a short time for Washington.

It was a difficult task to secure the accounts of the Choctaw Nation. Last year a demand was made for them at the time it was discovered there was so many fraudulent warrants circulation in the Chickasaw Nation, but the Choctaws refused to give them up. Attempt after attempt was made, the Indians denying the right of the secretary of the interior to question their accounts. This only increases suspicion that the accounts are in bad shape. But the account of Mr. Foster will say that he has failed to discover a single warrant that has been recirculated. Whether he will say that the accounts of the Choctaws are otherwise right, he does not state.

Mr. Foster has checked up every warrant that has been issued and paid by the Choctaw Nation since May 1, 1900. There are no auditor's records prior to that time. H. L. Wood was auditor then and in 1899 his house burned down destroying all his records. Peter Hudson succeeded him as auditor and back of his administration there was nothing to show the warrants issued and paid.

When the call for all unpaid warrants was issued the First National bank of Fort Smith sent over a warrant that had been issued in 1872 and never been paid, calling for \$368.83. The warrant was 35 years old.

### LAFOLLETTE TALKS RIGHT.

#### Says All Congressmen Ought to Visit Territory and Learn Something.

Tulsa, I. T., July 19.—Senator R. M. LaFollette of Wisconsin, who lectured at the chautauqua here, is in favor of the removal of restrictions on the lands of all Indians with the exception of the homesteads of the bull bloods.

"And some of the full bloods, I understand are perfectly capable of managing their own affairs," he said. The trouble with congress when it comes to dealing with questions concerning the Indians there is always a misunderstanding of the motive actuating any request for legislation coming from the Indian Territory in general. Some think behind everything there is a lurking pitfall for Lo, and unless congress keeps the lid on tight the Indians will be robbed of their lands by unscrupulous land buyers. If every senator and congressman could pay a visit to this country he would be disillusioned as to many things on which he is now in the dark."

### The Jailor Helped Some.

Lawton, Okla., July 16.—In probate court at Anadarko Judge Phelps awarded the custody of the fourteen-year old daughter of Dr. B. B. Brown to her father and took her away from Hoyt Shelby, her husband of a few days. The husband is charged with having obtained marriage license through fraud and having perjured himself in the application.

Shortly after the decision of Judge Phelps Dr. Brown was arrested on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. Upon his failure to execute the necessary bond he was placed in the city jail. The girl learned of the incarceration and took advantage of the opportunity to return to her husband.

### Mosquitoes Held Up Train.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 19.—A swarm of mosquitoes, millions in number, literally stalled a Minneapolis and St. Louis train at Bagley last night. For two hours the heavily loaded train was tied up by its fight with the pests and the 120 passengers were almost crazed before their escape.

Because of the hot weather the windows in the passenger coaches had been left open, and the mosquitoes, driven from the marshes by the rain, swarmed into the cars, attacking the passengers.

For two hours the train was stalled, while the passengers, driven from the coaches, built fires along the right of way, making a dense smudge which afforded them a little relief.

The smudge was then carried into the coaches and the mosquitoes finally driven out. Many of the passengers had hands and faces almost eaten raw by the attacks.

### Holdenville Boy Shot.

Holdenville, I. T., July 19.—Lem, the twelve-year-old son of George Lee, a local drayman, was accidentally shot Wednesday night. He with several other boys was playing in the rear of a store, and a target rifle, which was leaning against the wall, was knocked down and discharged, the bullet entering the right shoulder, ranging upward into the neck. The boy is in a dangerous condition.

## TAKING OF CENSUS DELAYED

appointments. Mr. Hunt will then send out the oaths and commissions. It is understood that republican organizations in various parts of the state will make their recommendations in appointments in the expectation that these will be followed as much as possible. Delegates to the constitutional convention, which was in session here this week, have also been asked to make recommendations.

### OKLAHOMA NOTES.

(From Kansas City Times.)

David Muskrat, a widely known citizen of the Cherokee Nation died of pneumonia at Evansville, Ark., July 9.

In a revival at the Lawton Christian church sixty-five persons have been converted.

All the republican newspapers and a few of the democratic newspapers are asserting that they compelled the convention to amend the constitution.

The postoffice name of the town of Lemert is Skeedee, and of Lawson, Quay. Here's for skeedee, which an Osage Indian once said means "wolf-frozen-in-the-ice."

Captain "Jake" Admire says that Colonel Haskell is deploring the fact that he did not learn to swim backwards when he was a boy. From a military standpoint, this is clearly ground for a court martial.

Muskogee Phoenix: James Harris of Wagoner, who is responsible for the defeat of the Frantz resolutions in Wagoner county, is beginning to make a noise like a man out on a limb with a cut-off saw at work between him and the tree.

C. N. Haskell's New State Tribune has begun a defense of William H. Murray against the ridicule of republican newspapers that are saying discourteous things about the president of the constitutional convention. The Tribune says that Murray is both a gentleman and a scholar.

W. W. Fitzpatrick, a farmer near Mulhall, heard a disturbance among his chickens at night and gave chase with his dogs. The latter followed a trail into the timber and soon had a wildcat at bay, with a big fat hen in its mouth. The wildcat was up a tree and Fitzpatrick, who is a good shot, brought the cat tumbling to the ground dead. It weighed about forty pounds. A hunt was made for the young, and three kittens were found. All about the nest were chicken feathers, bones and egg shells, indicating that Mr. Bob Cat had been living pretty well.

Albert and William Flinn, brothers, living west of Purcell, concluding that it was raining too hard to work, went to the house of their neighbor, Mr. Henry, and after some preliminary organization, started to Purcell with the farmer's two pretty daughters, Miss Ola and Miss Lulu Henry. At Purcell the two brothers and the two sisters were married by the deputy clerk of the district court. The brides went home and prepared supper for their husbands before sundown. The Purcell Register expresses astonishment that the older brother chose the younger sister.

### TO OUST FREEDMEN.

#### Indian Police Begin Serving Writs—Freedmen threaten Trouble.

Muskogee, I. T., July 19.—Six Indian policemen have left this place for the Cherokee Nation to serve writs of ejectment upon the freedmen of that nation who are on land which has been allotted to citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

The freedmen are applicants for citizenship, but were rejected by the commission. The land they are on they have held pending final settlement of their citizenship. Now the Indians who have allotted the lands have demanded to be put into possession and the Indian agent sent the Indian policemen out to put the negroes off and the Indians on.

There were about 2,000 of these refused applicants, and there will be about 400 to be put off of allotments by the Indian policemen. Some of the freedmen are threatening trouble, when an attempt was made to force them out.

### Storekeeper Held Up.

Holdenville, I. T., July 19.—Telephone communication from Spaulding, a small town eight miles south of here, tells of the daring robbery of J. F. Evans' store Thursday morning in broad day light. T. A. Barnett, who works in the store, was alone when two unknown negroes entered and asked for some change. As Barnett opened the cash drawer the negroes covered him with a revolver, took \$60 and a revolver and made their escape.



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Frank Jones went to Wetumka this morning.

Miss Amanda James Haynes is seriously ill today.

Mrs. J. E. Bills will entertain the 42 Club this evening.

R. M. Roddie returned home from Muskogee last night.

Miss Mary Irwin went to Celestine to visit her brother.

Dr. N. B. Shands is transacting business in Wewoka.

Mrs. Mel Davis left for Okemah for a visit with her mother.

Mrs. W. G. Broadford and children are visiting in Sasakwa.

J. E. Miles left for Kansas to attend the wedding of a brother.

J. Fred Griffin and Joe A. Edwards were here from Stratford.

Loren E. Senecker, Frisco's claim agent, was here from Sapulpa.

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D. Cobb, from Dallas, is the new foreman at the steam laundry.

Mrs. Maggie Lou Armstead returned today from a visit to Dallas.

J. W. Deaton, the Arkansas fruit man, is in Ada today on business.

Sam T. McClure and Tom J. Smith of Roff are transacting business in the county seat.

Mrs. W. A. Tipton returned to Holdenville this morning, after a visit with her father here.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Stone and Miss Stone departed this afternoon for a stay in Colorado.

J. B. Emory and family, after a two weeks' visit in Ada, returned this afternoon to Shawnee.

Jas. Casper, a prominent stockman of St. Joseph, Mo., is a business and social visitor in the city.

J. E. Miles, who expected to start yesterday for Kansas to attend his brother's wedding, didn't get away till

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J. W. McCullough and mother of Center, took the train this morning for a visit with Holdenville relatives.

T. Brown, surveyor, having finished his job on the water works construction, returned home to Coalgate today.

Little Misses Florence and Thelma Mooney went back to Stonewall, after visiting with their aunt, Mrs. W. A. Alexander.

Our entire line of burnt leather Indian curios will be closed out at sacrifice prices. We need the room for other goods. Sprague Bros. 101-tf

## THE LANHAM PICNIC.

### Big Crowd, Lots of Fun and Plenty to Eat.

Geo. A. Harrison, one of Ada's leading citizens, and Delegate Carlton Weaver were guests at the best picnic of the season at Lanham neighborhood Thursday.

They arrived just at the noon hour and were immediately invited to partake of a bountiful dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lanham, and a good dinner it was. George ate until he hurt.

Five beeves were slaughtered and the crowd of a thousand or more were well cared for at the noon hour.

There were all the attractions in evidence from "all you want for five" to the "sweet wind" from the orators, the fiddle and the dance, the picture show and whirl-a-gig, the base ball game and the "Long Horn" dram.

At 1:30 p. m. Carlton Weaver dragged himself from the barbecue and cake to the speaker's stand and for an hour talked under difficulty, about the constitution and statehood prospects. He endeavored to convince the hearers why they should support the constitution and support statehood.

Mr. Weaver was followed by Mr. F. P. O'Hare, a socialist from Vinita. He is a bright fellow and it is thought, made a good socialist speech.

The speakers were very courteously presented by Rev. Butler, who presided during the speaking.

On a whole, the day was a happy one for those who were present and the people of this locality have won a reputation of doing things, not by halves.

Eli Morris was there to keep order, but he found nothing to do but eat and have a general good time.

Dr. Chadwick, Sam Hargis and Mr. Statts were also guests at the picnic.

### Bitten by Rabid Cat.

The five-year-old boy of John Sweney, who lives northwest of town, was bitten Thursday by a cat, supposedly infected with rabies.

Sol Moss's famous mad stone was sought and it clung tenaciously to the wound, showing conclusively that there was some sort of poison lurking therein.

Mr. Moss says that this the 56th victim that has found relief from the madstone since it came into his possession. The little stone has become quite famous in this country.

### Back From the Plains.

J. M. Keltner got back last night from a week's recreation in the Texas Panhandle country. He visited in Amarillo and Plainview. But for the dust storms, he thinks it would be a glorious country. One can almost taste the ozone in the air; nothing ever decays—in course of time it just dries up, in the winter one picks up from under the trees the apples ripened in the summer, and eats them; no buzzards to be seen.

### Steel Work Finished.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Berkenbine departed last night for Independence, Kans. He was superintendent of the steel work on the Cement plant, which he has just completed. At Independence there is awaiting him a similar contract. He was accompanied by his corps of workmen, including Don Maxey of Ada.

### Another Girl in Town.

Ed Hunter doesn't care particularly whether the laundry runs today or not. He has his hands full at home and is glad. The stork left a winsome nine pound daughter at his home last night.

### Raided the Picnic.

Deputy Marshal Ed Brents, uninvited, attended a negro picnic out beyond the cement works Thursday evening. He brought back to town a six-shooter, three bottles of booze and a negro prisoner.

### K. of P.'s at Stratford.

W. J. Reed and Milton Blackburn, Wednesday night, attended the installation of a new lodge of Knights of Phythas at Stratford. Thirty-four charter members were initiated and a general good time was had.

Mrs. J. E. Bick of Soyer, Okla., and J. M. Reed of Stroud, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leonard for a few days.

The tents of the Lee Bros.' Stock Co., which shows here Monday night, will be located in the vacant lots across from the Harris hotel. 102-1t

Rev. E. L. Kirtley and Dr. Love, with their families, spent Thursday in an outing on Sandy. Bro. Kirtley was conscientious enough to admit they did not catch much fish, but insisted they had lots of fun.

### Ledger Lost.

Wednesday I lost my pocket ledger. It contained my accounts, a book of stamps and a railroad ticket. The book is of value to me but no one else. Keep the stamps and railroad ticket and return the book to me and receive reward. 101-tf Dr. Yarbrough.



### JUST PAY US A VISIT.

Forget about the buying, don't be afraid of coming in too often. We shall be glad to see you and the coming in every little while habit is a good one to get.

Beautiful Flow Blue and Gold Semi-Porcelain Dinner Ware this week at 25 per cent off.

Cups and saucers worth \$1.20 per set this week 90c per set. Dinner plates worth 98c per set this week 73c per set.

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Quart size 64c per dozen. Half gallon size 74c per dozen.

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## W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.

### Fourth District In Session Next Week—Leading Officers Coming.

Beginning Monday night, July 22, and lasting through Tuesday and Wednesday, there will occur the convention of the Fourth District Women's Christian Temperance Union of Indian Territory. The meetings will be held in the Christian church at Ada.

Numerous leaders in the organization will be in attendance, including national, territorial and district officers. The convening of the body in Ada is a compliment to the city, and our people will take much interest in the proceedings.

The following is the program arranged for the opening night, Monday, at 8:30 a. m.

Hymn—"Blest Be the Tie."  
Prayer—Mrs. L. J. Ross, Territorial Corresponding Secretary.

Music.

Address of Welcome—Five minutes each—For the City, The Mayor. For the churches, Rev. T. B. Harrell. For the church societies, Mrs. A. H. Constant. For the Ladies Federation, Mrs. Orville Snead. For the legal fraternity, Col J. F. McKeel. For the local W. C. T. U., Mrs. C. O. Barton.

Music.

Offering

Announcements

Benediction.

Refreshments.

### 25,000 Club Meeting.

The 25,000 club is called to meet this afternoon at five to transact important business. It is rumored Ada has a chance to get another railroad.

W. A. Alexander attended to some business in Stonewall today.

Homer S. Fox, special insurance agent is transacting business here.

D. F. Eagleton of Sherman is in the city in the interest of Austin College.

We are glad to see Joe Biles out mingling with friends after a spell of fever.

Chas. Little who has been confined to his home with fever for some time is improving.

Miss Margarette Fulton of Sherman is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bills, and Misses Edna and Vera Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Pegues of Longview are in the city, the guest of their daughter, Mrs. H. C. Thompson.

W. H. Hall, the round bale gin manager, is here from Duncan planning for further repairs on the local plant.

Frank Jackson returned from Mulberry, Ark., last night where he has been visiting his parents. He says he had a splendid time.

The Lee Bros.' Stock Co. will erect their tents just north of the Harris for their performance here next Monday night. 102-1t

Ben Hur Flour has no equal. It is guaranteed by Waples-Platter Gro. Co. Ask your grocer.

Hundreds of American women who now use it have expressed their delight and satisfaction.

## WITH 24 FINGERS AND TOES.

### Child born in Ada with Remarkable Hands and Feet.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norton, of Fourth street, there was born Wednesday night a boy baby. The child is healthy and normal in every respect save that each hand has six fingers and each foot has six toes. A superfluous finger or toe is no extraordinary thing, but usually they are imperfect, or malformations. What is remarkable in this case, every finger and bone is full formed with such perfect articulation as to give no appearance of deformity.

B. Mayer and wife were here from Conway shopping.

Bread being the staff of life, why not have it good? Use Ben Hur flour and have the best. Ask your grocer for it.

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Is what you want every day. Without you are at the mercy of others when sickness and old age comes. Sign a declaration of independence for yourself by starting a savings account with a dollar or two today with the

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# PRIEST DRAGGED TO HIS DEATH.

AWFUL PENALTY IMPOSED BY YOUNG MAN CHEATED OUT OF HIS BRIDE.

## INTERFERED WITH MARRIAGE

Disappointed Bridegroom Meets Priest Who Turned Sweetheart Against Him and Wreaks Vengeance with Lariat.

Zacatecas, Mexico.—Father Louis de Stefane, an Italian priest of the little town of Zacate, this state, has just paid the penalty of interfering with the proposed marriage of two young people of his parish with death of the most tragic kind. The Popoca and Bustamante families are among the wealthiest and most prominent in the state. Some of the richest and best producing mines in this part of Mexico belong to them. Their vast landed estates are situated adjacent to each other. Paulina Popoca and Fiacro Bustamante learned to love each other in childhood. It was a constant and sincere affection that ripened as they grew older. Bustamante embraced the Protestant religious faith when he reached manhood, but Miss Popoca continued a Catholic. The fact that her devoted lover was a Protestant did not arouse the objections of the girl's parents to the proposed union. They both recently returned from the United States, where they were educated at the best schools of that country. The preparations for the wedding went forward with no thought that there could be any hitch in the programme.

Several days ago Miss Popoca visited the parish church for the purpose of making final confession before the wedding took place, as is the custom here. Her father confessor was the priest Stefano. She remained several hours at the confessional, and when she returned to her home it was with a broken spirit. She told her parents that the padre had told her that in even entertaining the thought of marrying a Protestant she was placing her soul in jeopardy, and that should she actually allow herself to be drawn into the marriage her future would be utterly damned. A conference of the members of the two families was held and an effort made to remove the firm resolve that Miss Popoca had made to break the engagement on account of the priest's warnings. She remained firm in her re-

solve that the marriage should not take place.

Bustamante received the intelligence without a word. The lines around his mouth tightened, and, with set face he walked out of the room and mounted his horse. He was on his way to his home when he met Father Stefano who was also riding a horse. Bustamante's lariat was gathered in a coil around the pommel of his saddle. He unloosened it and, riding straight to ward the priest, he threw the rope with dexterous hands, the coil settling over the head of the astonished man. The noose was quickly tightened around the neck of Father Stefano



He Dragged Him at Top-Speed.

and, putting spurs to his horse, he dragged Father Stefano from his saddle and along the rough road for several miles until the last spark of life had left his body.

Bustamante left the dead body lying in the road and rode off into the mountains. The horrible crime was soon discovered—in fact, a number of Mexican laborers are said to have seen its perpetration. A force of rurales was sent in pursuit of Bustamante, but up to this time he has evaded capture. It is reported that he has joined a band of desperate outlaws in the mountains and that he has announced the intention of following the life of a brigand.

The terrible tragedy and the events which preceded it have created a stir throughout a large portion of this state. The prominence and wealth of the families involved add to the interest in the affair.

## OILER RISKS HIS LIFE FOR SHIP'S PET MONKEY

CRAWLS INTO HOLD, BLACK AS NIGHT, AND EMERGES AFTER THREE HOURS' SEARCH.

Boston.—A chattering monkey and a greasy ship's oiler didn't look much like participants in a thrilling episode at sea as the big British freight steamship Gordon Castle, from Calcutta and Colombo, swung into her berth at National dock, East Boston, the other day, but every man aboard



Man and Monkey Emerged from the Hatch.

ship, from Capt. Burt down to the little Lascar messboy, swears that Karl A. Tammelin, of Finland and Sapho, the captain's pet monkey, are hero and heroine of a real thriller.

As the ship gradually made her morning Sapho suffered from the cold and spent a good part of her time in the engine room. She was down in her customary berth one day when the ship was rolling in a tremendous sea and suddenly the monkey, caught unawares, was sent headlong against a hot bearing.

With a scream of pain the monkey tried to get away, but with another lurch of the ship, and with nothing but the iron floor to grip, she was again sent against the hot bearing. She dashed off in sight and her cry was heard off in the direction of the hold.

For eight hours nothing was seen of Sapho. Capt. Burt called for a volunteer to rescue her. Tammelin asked for permission to get the monkey. Through a little aperture through which his huge frame could hardly be squeezed he made his way

into the hold, that was as black as night.

Then for three hours there was not a sound from the hold. Capt. Burt called for volunteers to rescue the Finn, who, he thought was dead. It was decided to lift the hatches amidships and take out cargo enough so that the bilge could be reached. This work was going on when Tammelin emerged with the terrified monkey in his arms. He was soaked with slimy water.

Running on deck, he threw himself on his knees, raised his hands and offered a prayer of thankfulness for his deliverance and the deliverance of Sapho from death.

It was a strange gathering about the Finn. For days Sapho clung to her rescuer. When Tammelin ate his meals Sapho was on his knee. When Tammelin oiled the engine Sapho was clinging desperately to his neck.

## IRATE FATHER AVENGES GIRL.

Takes Young Man Who Jilted Daughter on Rapid Jaunt.

Washington, Pa.—Securely fastened at the end of a rope and tied to the buggy of an irate father, whose daughter he had unfeelingly jilted, almost on the day set for the wedding, Walter Edson, the fickle sweetheart, was compelled to trot four miles behind the rig driven by Henry Sheller. A portion of the road was traveled at a fast gait.

Edson was to have married Florence Sheller. Three days before the date set for the wedding, after visiting his prospective bride and renewing his promises of marriage, he went to Pittsburg, where on the same day he married Miss Mae Cole. He boldly brought her back home and boasted that he had no explanation to offer his promised bride.

A few days later Sheller went to the sawmill where Edson worked, called him out, and at once overpowered him and hitched him to the buggy. He then drove hurriedly to Edson's home, where he forced the young man to gather up every letter written by his daughter and every present given by her to young Edson, and later made him take an oath before a justice never to molest the girl or any member of the family.

## Swarming Bees Halt Business.

Baltimore, Md.—A few thousand bees picked an awning on Lexington street as a nice place to swarm, and traffic in the retail district was interrupted for an hour the other morning. The mass of insects was nearly a foot thick, and they had the pedestrians thoroughly cowed. Finally a shopkeeper who had lived in the country mounted a stepladder and swept the bees in a box with his bare hands. A merchant desiring to get rid of a few that were left, stirred them up with a pole, and as a result his store was closed for half a day.

## WOMEN MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS.

Two Maine Girls Ascend Mount Katahdin Over the Snow.

While camping at Togue pond ten miles from Mount Katahdin, Misses Jane given and Carrie Crocker of Millinocket, Me., accomplished the difficult feat of ascending Katahdin over the snow, says the Kennebec Journal. Starting from camp at Togue pond with a guide, they made a distance of eight miles on snowshoes, and spent the night at Birch camp on Rum mountain, and about two and one-half miles from the foot of the slide. Birch camp is a tiny structure eight by ten feet on the ground, and just high enough to permit one to stand erect when under the ridgepole. It is built of birch logs and has a roof of birch bark. The doorway is so small that one has to bend nearly double in order to enter. Leaving their guide at the camp the next morning the two young women ascended the mountain by what is known as the east slide, and found themselves on a tableland a few feet in width. Farther on was a peak somewhat higher, but separated from the tableland on which they stood by Pomola gulch, which their guide had assured them was impassable in winter.

After ascending nearly to the edge of the gulch and taking a few pictures, warned by the approaching heavy clouds, the young women started down the mountain on the other side of the slide. The descent was rapid, but spasmodic. They were

## STORY OF A FLIRTATION.

But Really There Was Nothing Very Shocking About It.

He was sitting alone in the room when she entered. She seemed somewhat surprised to see him. However, she did not retire, but stood regarding him doubtfully. The inspection was apparently satisfactory, for she smiled.

He had never seen her before, but he could not help smiling back at her. She was quite pretty, blue eyes, fluffy hair and all that sort of thing. "You're not afraid of me?" he ventured.

"No," she replied, smiling again at the absurdity of the idea.

"Won't you please come and talk to me? I'm so lonely," he felt emboldened to say.

She replied by seating herself at his side and glancing up at him with a roguish twinkle in her eyes. "I really believe you'd be more comfortable on my knee," he whispered.

Without more ado she seated herself on his knee and placed her pretty arm around his neck.

She was really a most charming young lady and—

"Won't you give me a kiss—just one?" he asked, pleadingly.

She looked at him roguishly and nodded assent. Then she nestled up to his cheek and kissed him daintily. He liked it.

"How old are you?" he asked, after a moment. It sounded rude, he knew,

## SOON TO WED SENATOR BEVERIDGE



By his marriage with Miss Katherine Eddy of Chicago, the Indiana statesman will secure one of the most charming of the Garden City's social beauties, entry into the most exclusive social circles of America, and the control of an immense fortune. Miss Eddy is 23 years old, Senator Beveridge is 45, and a widower.

compelled to slide from tree to tree, and though the distance slid was usually not more than six feet, they usually brought up against the tree with much force. They reached the camp at the foot of the mountain considerably the worse for their rough experience, but made their way over the eight miles that separated them from Togue pond that afternoon.

## A Handy Box.

A new piece of bedroom furniture that is practical as well as novel is the chest of shirt-waist boxes. The ordinary shirt-waist box is not particularly new. They have been seen for some time in the smart shops, with the box covered with cretonne, which, however, quickly becomes soiled if it is continually handled, and the whole set looks unpleasant and ugly. The success of this chest of boxes is the use of sanitas for covering. Sanitas is made now in the daintiest colorings and very pretty designs, and can be readily cleaned when soiled. The various articles for the toilet table, such as the glove box, the handkerchief box, etc., may be covered with sanitas in the same way.

but somehow he could not help putting it.

"I see ye've nearly t'ree," she replied, proudly.

## How He Liked Them.

Congressman George W. Smith, who has been representing the southernmost district of Illinois in congress ever since John R. Thomas got tired of the job, 20 years ago, was campaigning around Murphysboro one time in a buggy. With him was a driver. They came to a bridge over the Big Muddy river. The sight of water naturally suggested fish. For lack of anything better to say, Congressman Smith said to the driver:

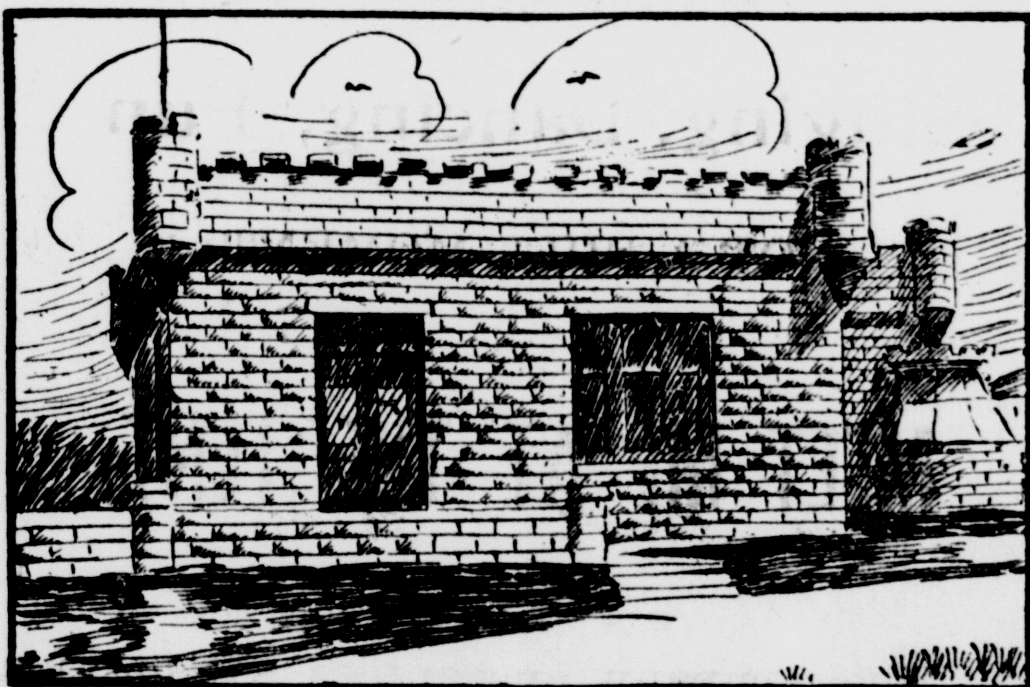
"Do you like fish?"

"Yes," was the reply.

Nothing more was necessary and nothing more was said. However, when the next campaign came around Congressman Smith went over the same territory, at the same time of the year, with the same driver. Again they crossed the Big Muddy and again the sight of water suggested fish.

"How?" asked Congressman Smith. "Fried," said the driver.—Judge.

## ART MUSEUM BUILT BY INDIANS



Of all the buildings at the U. S. Indian Industrial school at Carlisle in Pennsylvania none are so interesting as the recently completed Leupp art museum, because it represents the work of the students themselves. They not only built the building with their own hands, but the football team of the school earned the money for the material, putting into it all of the profits of the games they played last year. The plans were drawn by George Balenti, a Cheyenne Indian graduate of the school. The museum is in charge of Alfred M. Venne, a full-blooded Chippewa Indian, who also conducts a Bible class for Indian youths.

# CREPT EIGHT DAYS ON BARREN LANDS.

PROSPECTOR BUNN HAD TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE IN THE FAR FROZEN NORTH.

## LIVED ON MOSS AND BERRIES

Finally Reached Deserted Indian Camp Where He Existed on Fish Until Natives Returned and Took Care of Him.

Edmonton, Alta.—The arrest of Charlie Bunn on a charge which the police say may be changed to murder, again brings into the limelight a man who for nine days was lost in the Land of the Midnight Sun. Several weeks ago at Athabasca landing he got in a mix-up with one Prudden, who is now in such a precarious condition it is feared he will die.

Charlie Bunn has lived the life of a nomad from his earliest days, spending several years as a jockey in the United States. On reaching manhood he came to Montana, where he spent some years as a cowboy, then as deputy sheriff and sub-Indian agent for the state. During the Klondike gold rush Bunn came to Edmonton on his way north, arriving here in the summer of 1898. Pushing on toward the Klondike he reached the Great Slave lake and was so impressed with the country he decided to remain. He stayed at the Great Slave about a year, but the spirit of adventure was strong within him and when the opportunity to join the Bell exploration party presented he gladly accepted and the sequel was one of the most interesting tales ever brought from the great north.

The Bell exploration party was sent out by the geological department of the Ottawa government to discover the source of the Copper Mine river away up near the mouth of the Mackenzie. Indian legends and traders' tales told of a mountain of almost pure copper from which the river led its source. The party, consisting of Bell, Bunn and two half-breed guides, went down the Mackenzie, up the Bear river, across Great Bear lake, up the Copper Mine river as far as possible, and then started to portage across the country. But the supplies ran low, and it was evident the entire party would not be able to reach the point for which they had set out. They decided to divide the party.

Bell took one guide and all the supplies and pushed on in a last attempt to fulfill the mission, while Bunn and the other guide, named Trombley, intended to return to the last cache and there wait for Bell. On the way back in clambering over the rocks, Bunn slipped, dislocating his ankle. He called to the guide to wait, but Trombley made no response and went to the cache alone. Bunn hobbled after, but soon realized he was deserted and



The Guide Deserted Him.

lost on the Barren lands of the north. He wandered in the direction of an Indian camp he had seen on the way, but soon lost all idea of direction, and for eight days and nights crawled over the frozen plains without fire, his only food being the moss and berries he could gather from the snow.

The agony of that time can never be painted in words, but toward the end he became delirious and in this condition reached a deserted Indian camp on the Great Bear. He put out some nets found in the deserted tents and secured some fish. The food gave him life until the Indians returned from a hunting trip. The Indians cared for him through the long, weary winter and in the spring, took him to Patton's trading post at the mouth of the Mackenzie, where he took passage with a party of traders and came to Edmonton.

## WOMAN PUT FELINE INTO BIG MAIL BOX

IT RAISED SUCH A RUMPUS THAT POLICEMAN HAD TO SECURE ITS RELEASE.

New York.—A tall woman sauntered up to the big package mail box at Forty-second street and Sixth avenue the other day and pushed something



A Great Crowd Gathered.

through the opening. It fell to the bottom, and the woman scurried away.

In a few minutes the cabbies on the corner began to hear loud wails from the mail box.

"Sure, it's a baby," quoth one.

"Baby, yer eye," disdainfully interrupted another. "Did ye ever hear a baby cry so loud and lingering like?"

The wails finally became so loud that the cabbies called Policeman Hare. He listened a minute, and then, shifting his nightstick to the other hand, drew his trusty weapon and cautiously crept up on the mail box. There was no doubt the sounds came from there.

One of the few things a policeman can't do is to open a mail box, so he stood perplexed until he happened to think of the sub-post office. He telephoned to Station H, on Madison avenue, and told them a baby or something that could make equally as much noise had taken possession of the big box on his beat, and he couldn't make an arrest until some one opened it.

William L. Quinlan, a clerk, was sent with a key and opened the box. Out jumped a wildly excited Maltese cat, which blinked and winked in the electric light, and then began rubbing against the policeman's leg.

Attached to the cat's neck was a tag with the following:

"My name is Dolly Gray. I am the mother of five kittens, and had a

good home until hard times reduced me to poverty and caused me to desert my little ones. I will guarantee to keep a house clean from mice for a good home. Where do I stand?"

"DOLLY GRAY."

The cat was taken to the station and will be adopted as a mascot unless some one claims it. The police think some hilarious theater party kidnapped it from a restaurant and dropped it in the box as a practical joke.

## NAKED BOYS SHOCK ST. LOUIS.

Young Swimmers Flee in Nature's Garb from Park Policeman.

St. Louis.—Fifteen naked boys scampering on front lawns and through back yards played havoc with the aristocratic dignity of Lindell boulevard, near Forest park recently. Cries of indignation arose from mammas behind windows and mingled with shrieks of dismay from daughters sitting on the front porches of the mansions which face the park.

In full pursuit of the youngsters, all of whom were between 12 and 16 years of age, was Park Watchman Patrick Walsh, who had surprised them entering a swim in Murphy's lake, reserved by the government as a hatchery.

Officer Walsh swooped down upon the hiding place of their discarded clothes and blew his whistle for reinforcements. Only by shouting fervent assurances of immunity did Officer Walsh finally succeed in inducing the lads to return and don their captured street costumes.

## Chicago Cats Tough.

Chicago.—In order to escape being killed by a pursuing Boston bull terrier, a cat, the pet of the Midway club, leaped out of the eighteenth story window of the First National bank building and landed on the skylight of the bank quarters on the third floor.

The heavy wire screening above the glass was bent and twisted by the impact and a few pieces of glass fell to one of the clerks' cages on the floor below, but the cat escaped uninjured. Fifteen minutes after the fall the animal returned to its quarters on the eighteenth floor lunch room, a little bit dicky-legged, it is true, but otherwise all right.

## Lots Like Him.

"I suppose you'll send your wife to the shore again this summer?"

"Nit. Can't afford it."

"Why, she isn't extravagant, is she?"

"Not at all. But last summer, all the time she was away, I spent a hundred a week."

## Plenty to Spare.

Servant Girl—I left my last pig because I could not get enough to eat.

Master—You won't find that case here. My wife does the cooking, and there is always a lot left a every meal.



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## Then Republicans will Decide What to Do--Elaborate Preparations for the Coming of Taft

Oklahoma City, July 18.—Chairman I. L. Hannon of the republican central committee today issued the call for the republican convention to be held at Tulsa August 1 at 10 o'clock. The call was issued after a conference on the part of chairman Hannon with prominent republicans and members of the state committee. In it he calls attention to the fact that the original delegate apportionment will be changed so that the republican party will have a majority in the new state. All portions of the proposed state will be represented in the committees, and arrangements are being made to ask the counties to send delegates with bands to march in a master flambeau.

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- Treasurer**  
James Menefee
- Auditor**  
M. E. Trapp
- Clerk of Supreme Court**  
W. H. L. Campbell
- State Examiner**  
Chas. Taylor
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A. P. Watson  
J. E. Love

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- State Senator**  
R. M. Roddle
- District Judge**  
A. T. West
- Floterial Representative**  
Edgar S. Ratliff

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- Representative**  
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- County Judge**  
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- County Attorney**  
Robt. Wimbish
- Clerk of District Court**  
W. D. Lowden
- County Clerk**  
W. S. Kerr
- Sheriff**  
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- Register of Deeds**  
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- County Surveyor**  
George Trautt
- Superintendent of Schools**  
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- County Weigher**  
Charles A. Thomas
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John D. Rhoad
- County Commissioner District No. 2**  
C. W. Floyd
- County Commissioner District No. 3**  
G. M. Short

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- Precinct No. 9.**  
Justice of the Peace, J. P. Roberts, J. A. Mercer, Constables, D. L. Galay, J. W. Wilson

## CANT TRAIL

**FRAIL DELINQUENT WARRANTS**  
Government Agent Discovers no Recirculation.  
Muskogee, July 19.—James P. Foster, a special agent representing the department of justice who has been here more than a year for the purpose of discovering if possible just how much money the Choctaw Nation owes has completed his work and will leave in a short time for Washington. It was a difficult task to secure the accounts of the Choctaw Nation. Last year a demand was made for them at the time it was discovered there was so many fraudulent warrants circulated in the Chickasaw Nation, but the Choctaws refused to give them up. Attempt after attempt was made the Indians denying the right of the secretary of the interior to question their accounts. This only increases suspicion that the accounts are in bad shape. But the account of Mr. Foster will say that he has failed to discover a single warrant that has been recirculated. Whether he will say that the accounts of the Choctaws are otherwise right he does not state.  
Mr. Foster has checked up every warrant that has been issued and paid by the Choctaw Nation since May 1, 1900. There are no auditor's records prior to that time. H. L. Wood was auditor then and in 1899 his house burned down destroying all his records. Peter Hudson succeeded him as auditor and back of his administration there was nothing to show the warrants issued and paid.  
When the call for all unpaid warrants was issued the First National bank of Fort Smith sent over a warrant that had been issued in 1872 and never been paid calling for \$368.93. The warrant was 35 years old.

**LAFFOLLETTE TALKS RIGHT.**  
Says All Congressmen Ought to Visit Territory and Learn Something.  
Tulsa, I. T., July 19.—Senator R. M. LaFollette of Wisconsin, who lectured at the Chautauque here, is in favor of the removal of restrictions on the lands of all Indians with the exception of the homesteads of the full bloods. And some of the full bloods, I understand are perfectly capable of managing their own affairs, he said. The trouble with congress when it comes to dealing with questions concerning the Indians there is always a misunderstanding of the motive actuating any request for legislation coming from the Indian territory in general. Some think I intend everything. It is a lurking pitfall for me and unless congress keeps the lid on tight the Indians will be robbed of their lands by unscrupulous land buyers. If every senator and congressman could pay a visit to this country he would be disillusioned as to the things which he is now talking.

**The Indian Helped Some.**  
Tulsa, Okla., July 19.—In prison court at Ardmore, Ind., Phillips awarded the custody of the four-year-old daughter of Dr. B. B. Brown to her father and took her away from Hoyt Shelby, her husband, a few days. The husband is charged with having obtained marriage license through fraud and having married himself in the application.  
Shortly after the decision of Judge Phillips Dr. Brown was arrested on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. Upon his failure to execute the necessary bond he was placed in the city jail. The girl learned of the incarceration and took advantage of the opportunity to return to her husband.

**Mosquitoes Held Up Train.**  
Des Moines, Iowa, July 19.—A swarm of mosquitoes millions in number literally stalled a Minneapolis and St. Louis train at Bagley last night. For two hours the heavily loaded train was tied up by its fight with the pests and the 120 passengers were almost crazed before their escape.  
Because of the hot weather the windows in the passenger coaches had been left open and the mosquitoes driven from the marshes by the rain swarmed into the cars attacking the passengers.  
For two hours the train was stalled while the passengers driven from the coaches, built fires along the right of way, making a dense smudge which afforded them a little relief.  
The smudge was then carried into the coaches and the mosquitoes finally driven out. Many of the passengers had hands and faces almost eaten raw by the attacks.

**Holdenville Boy Shot.**  
Holdenville, I. T., July 19.—Lem, the twelve-year-old son of George Lee, a local drayman, was accidentally shot Wednesday night. He with several other boys was playing in the rear of a store, and a target rifle, which was leaning against the wall, was knocked down and discharged, the bullet entering the right shoulder, ranging upward into the neck. The boy is in a dangerous condition.

## TAKING OF CENSUS DELAYED

appointments Mr. Hunt will then send out the oaths and commissions. It is understood that republican organizations in various parts of the state will make their recommendations in appointments in the expectation that these will be followed as much as possible. Delegates to the constitutional convention, which was in session here this week have also been asked to make recommendations.

**OKLAHOMA NOTES.**  
(From Kansas City Times)  
David Muskrat, a widely known citizen of the Cherokee Nation died of pneumonia at Evansville, Ark., July 19.  
In a revival at the Lawton Christian church sixty-five persons have been converted.  
All the republican newspapers and a few of the democratic newspapers are asserting that they compelled the convention to amend the constitution.  
The postoffice name of the town of Lemert is Skedee, and of Lawson Quay. Heirs for skedee which an Osage Indian once said means wolf-frozen-in-the-ice.  
Captain Lake Admitts says that Colonel Haskell is depicting the fact that he did not learn to swim backwards when he was a boy. From a military standpoint this is clearly a round for a court martial.  
Muskogee Phoenix. James Harris of Muskogee, who is responsible for the debt of the United States in Muskogee county is beginning to make a noise like a man out on a limb with a cut off saw at work between him and the tax.

**C. N. Haskell's New State Tribune**  
has been a defense of William H. Murray against the ridicule of Tulsa newspapers that are saying discount on things about the president of the constitutional convention. The Tribune says that Murray is both a gentleman and a scholar.

**W. W. Fitzpatrick a famous**  
Madhall heard a disturbance among his chickens at night and gave chase with his dogs. The latter followed a trail into the timber and soon had a wildcat at bay with a big fat hen in its mouth. The wildcat was up a tree and Fitzpatrick who is a good shot brought the cat tumbling to the ground dead. It weighed about forty pounds. A hunt was made for the venge and three kittens were found. All of the best were chicken fobs, hens and cocks. It is interesting that Mr. Fitzpatrick had been in his territory.

**A boy and William Hunt brothers**  
living west of Port H. concluded that it was raining too hard to work and went to the house of their neighbor Mr. Henry and after some preliminary conversation started to pull out with the farmer's two pretty daughters, Miss Ott and Miss Lulu Henry. At Port H. the two brothers and the two sisters were married by the deputy clerk of the district court. The brides went home and prepared supper for their husbands before sundown. The Port H. Register expresses astonishment that the older brother chose the younger sister.

**TO DIST FREEDMEN.**  
Indian Police Begin Serving Writs—Freedmen threaten Trouble.  
Muskogee, I. T., July 19.—Six Indian policemen have left this place for the Cherokee Nation to serve writs of ejectment upon the freedmen of that nation who are on land which has been allotted to citizens of the Cherokee Nation.  
The freedmen are applicants for citizenship, but were rejected by the commission. The land they are on they have held pending final settlement of their citizenship. Now the Indians who have allotted the lands have demanded to be put into possession and the Indian agent sent the Indian policemen out to put the negroes off and the Indians on.  
There were about 2,000 of these refused applicants, and there will be about 400 to be put off of allotments by the Indian policeman. Some of the freedmen are threatening trouble when an attempt was made to force them out.

**Storekeeper Daid Up.**  
Holdenville, I. T., July 19.—Telephone communication from Spaulding, a small town eight miles south of here, tells of the daring robbery of I. F. Evans' store Thursday morning in broad day light. T. A. Barnett who works in the store, was alone when two unknown negroes entered and asked for some change. As Barnett opened the cash drawer the negroes covered him with a revolver, took \$50 and a revolver and made their escape.



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No. 584	11:55 A. M.
No. 583	2:00 P. M.

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North Bound.	
No. 512—Eastern Express	9:35 a. m.
No. 510—Meteor	4:55 p. m.
No. 504—St. Louis and Kansas City Passenger	11:43 p. m.
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No. 509—Meteor	9:35 a. m.
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## FIRST NATIONAL BANK

## PERSONAL MENTION

Bob Hatchel was here from Bebe.  
J. M. Winteramiths baby is quite sick.  
Indian curios cheap at Sprague Bros. 101-11  
Frank Jones went to Wetumka this morning.  
Miss Amanda James Haynes is seriously ill today.  
Mrs J. E. B. will entertain the 42 Club this evening.  
R. M. Hodde returned home from Muskogee last night.  
Miss Mary Irwin went to Celestine to visit her brother.  
Dr. N. B. Shands is transacting business in Wewoka.  
Mrs. Mel Davis left for Okemah for a visit with her mother.  
Mrs. W. G. Bradford and children are visiting in Muskogee.  
J. E. Miles left for Kansas to attend the wedding of a brother.  
J. Fred Griffin and Joe A. Edwards were here from Stratford.  
Loren E. Seneker Frisco's claim agent was here from Stimpala.  
Closing out prices on all Indian curios at Sprague Bros. 101-11  
D. Cobb from Dallas is the new foreman at the steam laundry.  
Mrs. Maggie Lou Armstrong returned today from a visit to Dallas.  
J. W. Denton the Arkansas fruit man is in Ada today on business.  
Sam T. McClure and Tom J. Smith of Roff are transacting business in the county seat.  
Mrs. W. A. Tipton returned to Holdenville this morning after a visit with her father here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Duke Stone and Miss Stone departed this afternoon for a visit in Colorado.  
J. L. Emory and family after a two week stay in Ada returned this afternoon to Shawnee.  
As Cooper a prominent stockman of St. Joseph Mo. is a business and social visitor in the city.  
J. E. Miles who expected to start yesterday for Kansas to attend his brother's wedding didn't get away till today.  
Your chance to get burnt leather Indian curios at cost. We are closing them out Sprague Bros. 101-11  
J. W. McCullough and mother of Center took the train this morning for a visit with Holdenville relatives.  
F. Brown surveyor having finished his job on the water works construction returned home to Conglate today.  
Little Misses Florence and Theima Mooney went back to Stonewall after visiting with their aunt Mrs. W. A. Alexander.  
Our entire line of burnt leather Indian curios will be closed out at sacrifice prices. We need the room for other goods Sprague Bros. 101-11

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THE BEST

**\$3.50**  
**SHOES**

ON EARTH

**CHAPMAN**

The Shoe Man

## THE LANHAM PICNIC.

Big Crowd, Lots of Fun and Plenty to Eat.

Geo. A. Harrison, one of Ada's leading citizens, and Delegate Carlton Weaver were guests at the best picnic of the season at Lanham neighborhood Thursday.

They arrived just at the noon hour and were immediately invited to partake of a bountiful dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lanham, and a good dinner it was. George ate until he hurt.

Five beehives were slaughtered and the crowd of a thousand or more were well cared for at the noon hour.

There were all the attractions in evidence from all you want for five to the sweet wind from the orators, the fiddle and the dance, the picture show and the Long Horn drama.

At 1:30 p. m. Carlton Weaver dragged himself from the barbecue and cake to the speakers stand and for an hour talked under difficulty, about the constitution and statehood prospects.

He endeavored to convince the hearers why they should support the constitution and support statehood.

Mr. Weaver was followed by Mr. P. O. Hare, a socialist from Vinita. He is a bright fellow and it is thought made a good socialist speech.

The speakers were very courteously presented by Rev. Butler who presided during the speaking.

On a whole the day was a happy one for those who were present and the people of this locality have won a reputation of doing things not by halves.

Ell Morris was there to keep order but he found nothing to do but eat and have a general good time.

Dr. Chadwick Sam Harris and Mr. Statu were also guests at the picnic.

Blitten by Rabid Cat.  
The five year old boy of John Swamey who lives northwest of town was bitten Thursday by a cat supposedly infected with rabies.

Sci Moss's tumors mad stone was sought and it clung tenaciously to the wound showing conclusively that there was some sort of poison lurking therein.

Mr. Moss says that this is the victim that has found relief from the mission since it came into his possession. The little stone has become quite famous in this country.

Back From the Plains.  
J. M. Kettner got back last night from a week's recreation in the Texas Panhandle country. He visited in Amarillo and Ft. Worth. But for the dust storms he thinks it would be a glorious country. One can almost taste the ozone in the air. Nothing ever decays in course of time it just dries up in the winter and picks up from under the trees the apples inched in the summer and cuts them no lizards to it.

Steel Work Finished.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Eckelmeier reported last night for Independence, Kans. He was superintendent of the steel work on the Cement plant which he has just completed. At Independence there is waiting him a splendid contract. He was accompanied by his corps of workmen including Don Macey of Ada.

Another Girl in Town.  
Ed Hunter doesn't care particularly whether the laundry runs today or not. He has his hands full at home and is glad the stock left a winsome nine pound daughter at his home last night.

Raided the Picnic.  
Deputy Marshal Ed Briggs, uninvited attended a negro picnic out beyond the cement works Thursday evening. He brought back to town a live-shooter three bottles of booze and a negro prisoner.

K. of P.'s at Stratford.  
W. J. Reed and Milton Blackburn Wednesday night attended the installation of a new lodge of Knights of Pythias at Stratford. Thirty-four charter members were initiated and a general good time was had.

Mrs. J. E. Bick of Soyer Okla. and J. M. Reed of Stroud, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leonard for a few days.

The tents of the Lee Bros' Stock Co. which shows here Monday night will be located in the vacant lots across from the Harris hotel. 102-11

Rev. E. L. Kirtley and Dr. Love with their families, spent Thursday in an outing on Sandy. Bro. Kirtley was conscientious enough to admit they did not catch much fish, but insisted they had lots of fun.

Ledger Lost.  
Wednesday I lost my pocket ledger. It contained my accounts a book of stamps and a railroad ticket. The book is of value to me but no one else. Keep the stamps and railroad ticket and return the book to me and I will receive reward. 101-11

Dr. Yarbrough



## JUST PAY US A VISIT.

Forget about the buying, don't be afraid of coming in too often. We shall be glad to see you and the coming in every little while habit is a good one to get.

Beautiful Flow Blue and Gold Semi-Porcelain Dinner Ware this week at 25 per cent off.

Cups and saucers worth \$1.20 per set this week 90c per set. Dinner plates worth 95c per set this week 75c per set.

Breakfast or desert plates, worth 75c per set, this week 54c. The 25c Bowls for 19c. The 30c Bowls for 26c. You can see a full line of this splendid ware in our windows.

We save you money on fruit jars.

Quart size 64c per dozen. Half gallon size 74c per dozen. Fruit jar fillers 5c.

Fruit Press, a time and labor saver, 30c.

12 quart Blue Jay Enameled Preserve Kettle worth 98c, this week 73c.

Saturday next we are going to sell 100 gallon milk crocks at 3c each. No more than five crocks to a customer.

Yes we have Hammocks, Croquet sets, Base Ball goods, fishing tackle, and the prices right.

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is now conducted by Wright Bros. the old time meat market men of Ada who will be pleased to meet all their oldtime customers. Fresh and cured meats. Pure home rendered hog lard. Come in and see us. Courteous treatment. Freshness of meats.

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## W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.

Fourth District in Session Next Week—Leading Officers Coming.

Beginning Monday night, July 22, and lasting through Tuesday and Wednesday, there will occur the convention of the Fourth District Women's Christian Temperance Union of Indian Territory. The meetings will be held in the Christian church at Ada.

Numerous leaders in the organization will be in attendance, including national, territorial and district officers. The convening of the body in Ada is a compliment to the city, and our people will take much interest in the proceedings.

The following is the program arranged for the opening night, Monday, at 8:30 a. m.

Hymn—"Blest Be the Tie"  
Prayer—Mrs. L. J. Ross, Territorial Corresponding Secretary

Music  
Address of Welcome—Five minutes each—For the City, The Mayor. For the churches, Rev. T. B. Harrell. For the church societies, Mrs. A. H. Constant. For the Ladies Federation, Mrs. Orville Sneed. For the legal fraternity, Col. J. F. McKeel. For the local W. C. T. U., Mrs. C. O. Barton.

Music  
Offering  
Announcements  
Benediction  
Refreshments

25,000 Club Meeting.  
The 25,000 club is called to meet this afternoon at five to transact important business. It is rumored Ada has a chance to get another railroad.

W. A. Alexander attended to some business in Stonewall today.

Homer S. Fox, special insurance agent is transacting business here.

D. F. Engleton of Sherman is in the city in the interest of Austin College.

We are glad to see Joe Biles out munging with friends after a spell of fever.

Chris Little who has been confined to his home with fever for some time is improving.

Miss Macreille Fulton of Sherman is visiting her sister Mrs. Bills and Miss L. D. and Vera Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Piquis of Longview are in the city the guest of their daughter Mrs. H. C. Thompson.

W. H. Hall the round file gin man is here from Duncan planning for further repairs on the local plant.

Frank Jackson returned from Mulberry Ark. last night where he has been visiting his parents. He says he had a splendid time.

The Lee Bros' Stock Co. will erect their tents just north of the Harris hotel.

For their performance here next Monday night.

Ben Hur Flour has no equal. It is guaranteed by Waples-Platter Gro. Co. Ask your grocer.

Hundreds of American women who now use it have expressed their delight and satisfaction.

## WITH 24 FINGERS AND TOES.

Child born in Ada with Remarkable Hands and Feet.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norton, of Fourth street, there was born Wednesday night a boy baby. The child is healthy and normal in every respect save that each hand has six fingers and each foot has six toes. A superfluous finger or toe is no extraordinary thing, but usually they are imperfect, or malformations. What is remarkable in this case, every finger and bone is full formed with such perfect articulation as to give no appearance of deformity.

B. Mayer and wife were here from Conway shopping.

Bread being the staff of life, why not have it good? Use Ben Hur flour and have the best. Ask your grocer for it.

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Excursion to Shawnee

Via M. K. & T Ry SUNDAY, JULY 21

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No beverage can be more healthful than a fruit phosphate. As we serve them they are just as pure as the luscious fruits from which they are made. Besides real fruit juices our

## Fruit Phosphates

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# PRIEST DRAGGED TO HIS DEATH.

AWFUL PENALTY IMPOSED BY YOUNG MAN CHEATED OUT OF HIS BRIDE.

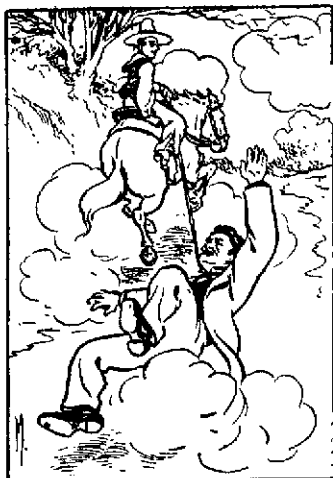
## INTERFERED WITH MARRIAGE

Disappointed Bridegroom Meets Pre-late Who Turned Sweetheart Against Him and Wreaks Vengeance with Lariat.

Zacatecas, Mexico.—Father Louis de Stefano, an Italian priest of the little town of Zarco, this state, has just paid the penalty of interfering with the proposed marriage of two young people of his parish with death of the most tragic kind. The Popoca and Bustamante families are among the wealthiest and most prominent in the state. Some of the richest and best producing mines in this part of Mexico belong to them. Their vast landed estates are situated adjacent to each other. Paulina Popoca and Floro Bustamante learned to love each other in childhood. It was a constant and sincere affection that ripened as they grew older. Bustamante embraced the Protestant religious faith when he reached manhood, but Miss Popoca continued a Catholic. The fact that her devoted lover was a Protestant did not arouse the objections of the girl's parents to the proposed union. They both recently returned from the United States, where they were educated at the best schools of that country. The preparations for the wedding went forward with no thought that there could be any hitch in the programme.

Several days ago Miss Popoca visited the parish church for the purpose of making final confession before the wedding took place, as is the custom here. Her father confessor was the priest Stefano. She remained several hours at the confessional, and when she returned to her home it was with a broken spirit. She told her parents that the padre had told her that in even entertaining the thought of marrying a Protestant she was placing her soul in jeopardy, and that should she actually allow herself to be drawn into the marriage her future would be utterly damned. A conference of the members of the two families was held and an effort made to remove the firm resolve that Miss Popoca had made to break the engagement on account of the priest's warnings. She remained firm in her re-

solve that the marriage should not take place. Bustamante received the intelligence without a word. The lines around his mouth tightened, and, with set face he walked out of the room and mounted his horse. He was on his way to his home when he met Father Stefano who was also riding a horse. Bustamante's lariat was gathered in a coil around the pommel of his saddle. He unloosened it and, riding straight to ward the priest, he threw the rope with dexterous hands, the coil settling over the head of the astonished man. The noose was quickly tightened around the neck of Father Stefano.



He Dragged Him at Top-Speed.

and, putting spurs to his horse, he dragged Father Stefano from his saddle and along the rough road for several miles until the last spark of life had left his body.

Bustamante left the dead body lying in the road and rode off into the mountains. The horrible crime was soon discovered—in fact, a number of Mexican laborers are said to have seen its perpetration. A force of rurales was sent in pursuit of Bustamante, but up to this time he has evaded capture. It is reported that he has joined a band of desperate outlaws in the mountains and that he has announced the intention of following the life of a brigand. The terrible tragedy and the events which preceded it have created a stir throughout a large portion of this state. The prominence and wealth of the families involved add to the interest in the affair.

## WOMEN MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS.

Two Maine Girls Ascend Mount Katahdin Over the Snow. While camping at Togue pond ten miles from Mount Katahdin, Misses Jane Given and Carrie Crocker of Milbrook, Me., accomplished the difficult feat of ascending Katahdin over the snow, says the Kennebec Journal. Starting from camp at Togue pond with a guide, they made a distance of eight miles on snowshoes, and spent the night at Birch camp on Rum mountain, and about two and one-half miles from the foot of the slide. Birch camp is a tiny structure eight by ten feet on the ground, and just high enough to permit one to stand erect when under the ridgepole. It is built of birch logs and has a roof of birch bark. The doorway is so small that one has to bend nearly double in order to enter. Leaving their guide at the camp the next morning the two young women ascended the mountain by what is known as the east slide, and found themselves on a tableland a few feet in width. Farther on was a peak somewhat higher, but separated from the tableland on which they stood by Pomola gulch, which their guide had assured them was impassable in winter. After ascending nearly to the edge of the gulch and taking a few pictures, warned by the approaching heavy clouds, the young women started down the mountain on the other side of the slide. The descent was rapid, but spasmodic. They were

## BUT REALLY THERE WAS NOTHING VERY SHOCKING ABOUT IT.

He was sitting alone in the room when she entered. She seemed somewhat surprised to see him. However, she did not retire, but stood regarding him doubtfully. The inspection was apparently satisfactory, for she smiled. He had never seen her before, but he could not help smiling back at her. She was quite pretty, blue eyes, sunny hair and all that sort of thing. "You're not afraid of me?" he ventured. "No," she replied, smiling again at the absurdity of the idea. "Won't you please come and talk to me? I'm so lonely," he felt emboldened to say. She replied by seating herself at his side and glancing up at him with a roguish twinkle in her eyes. "I really believe you'd be more comfortable on my knee," he whispered. Without more ado she seated herself on his knee and placed her pretty arm around his neck. She was really a most charming young lady and— "Won't you give me a kiss—just one?" he asked, pleadingly. She looked at him roguishly and nodded assent. Then she nestled up to his cheek and kissed him daintily. He liked it. "How old are you?" he asked, after a moment. It sounded rude, he knew,

## SOON TO WED SENATOR BEVERIDGE



By his marriage with Miss Katherine Eddy of Chicago, the Indiana statesman will secure one of the most charming of the Garden City's social beauties, entry into the most exclusive social circles of America, and the control of an immense fortune. Miss Eddy is 23 years old, Senator Beveridge is 45, and a widower.

compelled to slide from tree to tree, and though the distance slid was usually not more than six feet, they usually brought up against the tree with much force. They reached the camp at the foot of the mountain considerably the worse for their rough experience, but made their way over the eight miles that separated them from Togue pond that afternoon.

### A Handy Box.

A new piece of bedroom furniture that is practical as well as novel is the chest of shirt-waist boxes. The ordinary shirt-waist box is not particularly new. They have been seen for some time in the smart shops, with the box covered with cretonne, which, however, quickly becomes soiled if it is continually handled, and the whole set looks unpleasant and ugly. The success of this chest of boxes is the use of sanitas for covering. Sanitas is made now in the daintiest colorings and very pretty designs, and can be readily cleaned when soiled. The various articles for the toilet table, such as the glove box, the handkerchief box, etc., may be covered with sanitas in the same way.

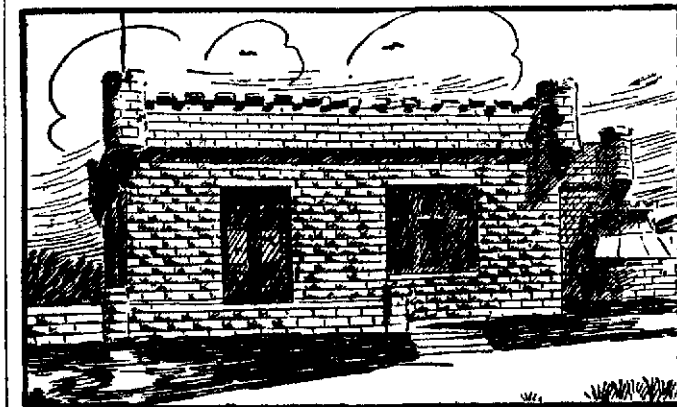
but somehow he could not help putting it. "I've nearly 'tree," she replied, proudly.

### How He Liked Them.

Congressman George W. Smith, who has been representing the southernmost district of Illinois in congress ever since John R. Thomas got tired of the job, 20 years ago, was campaigning around Murphysboro one time in a buggy. With him was a driver. They came to a bridge over the Big Muddy river. The sight of water naturally suggested fish. For lack of anything better to say, Congressman Smith said to the driver:

"Do you like fish?" "Yes," was the reply. Nothing more was necessary and nothing more was said. However, when the next campaign came around Congressman Smith went over the same territory, at the same time of the year, with the same driver. Again they crossed the Big Muddy and again the sight of water suggested fish. "How?" asked Congressman Smith. "Fried," said the driver.—Judge.

## ART MUSEUM BUILT BY INDIANS



Of all the buildings at the U. S. Indian industrial school at Carlisle in Pennsylvania none are so interesting as the recently completed Leupp art museum, because it represents the work of the students themselves. They not only built the building with their own hands, but the football team of the school earned the money for the material, putting into it all of the profits of the games they played last year. The plans were drawn by George Balenti, a Cheyenne Indian graduate of the school. The museum is in charge of Alfred M. Venne, a full-blooded Chippewa Indian, who also conducts a Bible class for Indian youths.

# CREPT EIGHT DAYS ON BARREN LANDS.

PROSPECTOR BUNN HAD TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE IN THE FAR FROZEN NORTH.

## LIVED ON MOSS AND BERRIES

Finally Reached Deserted Indian Camp Where He Existed on Fish Until Natives Returned and Took Care of Him.

Edmonton, Alta.—The arrest of Charlie Bunn on a charge which the police say may be changed to murder, again brings into the limelight a man who for nine days was lost in the Land of the Midnight Sun. Several weeks ago at Athabasca landing he got in a mix-up with one Prudden, who is now in such a precarious condition it is feared he will die.

Charlie Bunn has lived the life of a nomad from his earliest days, spending several years as a jockey in the United States. On reaching manhood he came to Montana, where he spent some years as a cowboy, then as deputy sheriff and sub-Indian agent for the state. During the Klondike gold rush Bunn came to Edmonton on his way north, arriving here in the summer of 1898. Pushing on toward the Klondike he reached the Great Slave lake and was so impressed with the country he decided to remain. He stayed at the Great Slave about a year, but the spirit of adventure was strong within him and when the opportunity to join the Bell exploration party presented he gladly accepted and the sequel was one of the most interesting tales ever brought from the great north.

The Bell exploration party was sent out by the geological department of the Ottawa government to discover the source of the Copper Mine river away up near the mouth of the Mackenzie. Indian legends and traders' tales told of a mountain of almost pure copper from which the river had its source. The party, consisting of Bell, Hunn and two half-breed guides, went down the Mackenzie, up the Bear river, across Great Bear lake, up the Copper Mine river as far as possible, and then started to portage across the country. But the supplies ran low, and it was evident the entire party would not be able to reach the point for which they had set out. They decided to divide the party.

Bell took one guide and all the supplies and pushed on in a last attempt to fulfill the mission, while Bunn and the other guide, named Trombley, intended to return to the last cache and there wait for Bell. On the way back in clambering over the rocks, Bunn slipped, dislocating his ankle. He called to the guide to wait, but Trombley made no response and went to the cache alone. Bunn hobbled after, but soon realized he was deserted and



The Guide Deserted Him.

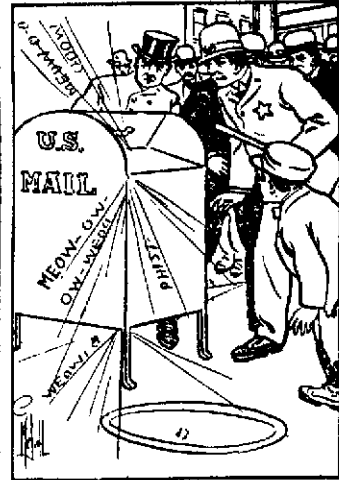
lost on the Barren lands of the north. He wandered in the direction of an Indian camp he had seen on the way, but soon lost all idea of direction, and for eight days and nights crawled over the frozen plains without fire, his only food being the moss and berries he could gather from the snow.

The agony of that time can never be painted in words, but toward the end he became delirious and in this condition reached a deserted Indian camp on the Great Bear. He put out some nets found in the deserted tents and secured some fish. The food gave him life until the Indians returned from a hunting trip. The Indians cared for him through the long, weary winter and in the spring, took him to Patton's trading post at the mouth of the Mackenzie, where he took passage with a party of traders and came to Edmonton.

## WOMAN PUT FELINE INTO BIG MAIL BOX

IT RAISED SUCH A RUMPUS THAT POLICEMAN HAD TO SECURE ITS RELEASE.

New York.—A tall woman sauntered up to the big package mail box at Forty-second street and Sixth avenue the other day and pushed something



A Great Crowd Gathered.

through the opening. It fell to the bottom, and the woman scurried away.

In a few minutes the cabbies on the corner began to hear loud wails from the mail box. "Sure, it's a baby," quoth one. "Baby, yer eye," disdainfully interrupted another. "Did ye ever hear a baby cry so loud and lingering like?" The wails finally became so loud that the cabbies called Policeman Hare. He listened a minute, and then, shifting his nightstick to the other hand, drew his trusty weapon and cautiously crept up on the mail box. There was no doubt the sounds came from there.

One of the few things a policeman can't do is to open a mail box, so he stood perplexed until he happened to think of the sub-post office. He telephoned to Station H, on Madison avenue, and told them a baby or something that could make equally as much noise had taken possession of the big box on his beat, and he couldn't make an arrest until some one opened it.

William L. Quinlan, a clerk, was sent with a key and opened the box. Out jumped a wildly excited Maltese cat, which blinked and winked in the electric light, and then began rubbing against the policeman's leg.

Attached to the cat's neck was a tag with the following: "My name is Dolly Gray. I am the mother of five kittens, and had a

good home until hard times reduced me to poverty and caused me to desert my little ones. I will guarantee to keep a house clean from mice for a good home. Where do I stand?"

### "DOLLY GRAY."

The cat was taken to the station and will be adopted as a mascot unless some one claims it. The police think some hilarious theater party kidnaped it from a restaurant and dropped it in the box as a practical joke.

**NAKED BOYS SHOCK ST. LOUIS.** Young Swimmers Flee in Nature's Garb from Park Policeman.

St. Louis—Fifteen naked boys scampering on front lawns and through back yards played havoc with the aristocratic dignity of Lindell boulevard, near Forest park recently. Cries of indignation arose from mamma's behind windows and mingled with shrieks of dismay from daughters sitting on the front porches of the mansions which face the park.

In full pursuit of the youngsters, all of whom were between 12 and 16 years of age, was Park Watchman Patrick Walsh, who had surprised them enjoying a swim in Murphy's lake, reserved by the government as a hatchery.

Officer Walsh swooped down upon the hiding place of their discarded clothes and blew his whistle for reinforcements. Only by shouting fervent assurances of immunity did Officer Walsh finally succeed in inducing the lads to return and don their captured street costumes.

### Chicago Cats Tough.

Chicago—In order to escape being killed by a pursuing Boston bull terrier, a cat, the pet of the Midway club, leaped out of the eighteenth story window of the First National bank building and landed on the skylight of the bank quarters on the third floor.

The heavy wire screening above the glass was bent and twisted by the impact and a few pieces of glass fell to one of the clerks' cages on the floor below, but the cat escaped uninjured. Fifteen minutes after the fall the animal returned to its quarters on the eighteenth floor lunch room, a little bit dicky-legged, it is true, but otherwise all right.

### Lots Like Him.

"I suppose you'll send your wife to the shore again this summer?"

"Nit. Can't afford it."

"Why, she isn't extravagant, is she?"

"Not at all. But last summer, all the time she was away, I spent a hundred a week."

### Plenty to Spare.

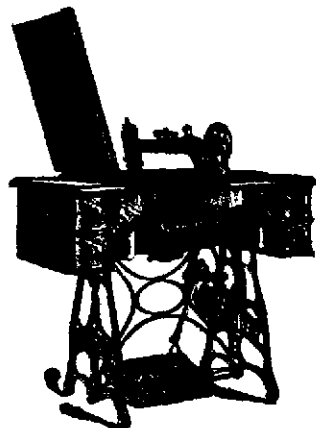
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### MAKING READY FOR FRANTZ

Bunting and Flags Galore in Convention Hall.

A committee of local republicans is busily engaged this afternoon in decorating the U. S. court room with bunting and flags and making other preparations for the county convention and the reception of Governor Frantz tomorrow.

The governor accompanied by Mrs. Frantz will arrive on the 11:10 Katy. Friends in the city will spare no efforts to make their visit in Ada memorably pleasant.

The combined attractions of the speech by Governor Frantz will doubtless bring an unusually large crowd to Pontotoc county seat.

Organization of the convention will be perfected at the morning session and the governor will speak at two in the afternoon.

### Nabbed in Transit.

Richard Pool wanted on a charge of bootlegging bought a ticket at Tyrola today for Atoka. But he did not get to ride it out. Deputy Brents took him off when he reached Ada. Deputy Chapman was searching for him in the Tyrola country.



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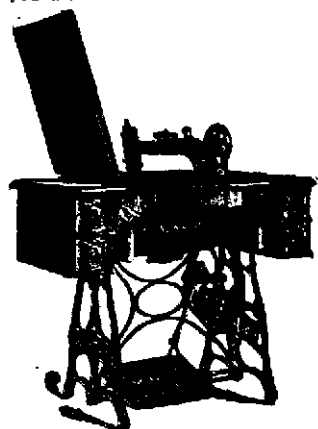
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## CENSUS DELAYED

from Washington  
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Guthrie, July 18.—Supervisor Hunt of the census bureau is sending to the chiefs of each district the application of positions as census enumerators that have been filed with him from the various districts. These will be passed upon, together with the applications which have been filed with the district chiefs and later returned to Mr. Hunt, with recommendations for (Continued on page 2)

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Everything in stock which is usually handled in a first class and up-to-date hardware store

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Guns  
 Stoves  
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Come in and see our line of Mohair Shirts, soft collars attached, all colors and sizes \$1.00 each.  
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We handle RACINE buggies. There are other dealers in the state who handle RACINE buggies--or others--but there are few who have the complete line we have. Our buggies are all RACINE. They are beauties. You can see them. Buggies, Carriages, Runabouts, Hacks and Surries, the best made and at reasonable prices. Come in and at least let us show you something swell in this line. Remember that our buggies are all RACINE and that is saying a great deal. They cost no more than others. We have a second-hand surry in fine condition we can sell for a song.

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## CAN'T TRAIL FRAUDULENT WARRANTS

Government Agent Discovers no Recirculation.

Muskogee, July 19.—James P. Foster, a special agent representing the department of justice who has been here more than a year for the purpose of discovering if possible just how much money the Choctaw Nation owes has completed his work and will leave in a short time for Washington.

It was a difficult task to secure the accounts of the Choctaw Nation. Last year a demand was made for them at the time it was discovered there was so many fraudulent warrants in circulation in the Chickasaw Nation but the Choctaws refused to give them up. Attempt after attempt was made the Indians denying the right of the secretary of the interior to question their accounts. This only increased suspicion that the accounts are in bad shape. But the account of Mr. Foster will say that he has failed to discover a single warrant that has been recirculated. Whether he will say that the accounts of the Choctaws are otherwise right he does not state.

Mr. Foster has checked up every warrant that has been issued and paid by the Choctaw Nation since May 1, 1909. There are no auditor's records prior to that time. H. L. Wood was auditor then and in 1899 his house burned down destroying all his records. Peter Hudson succeeded him as auditor and back of his administration there was nothing to show the warrants issued and paid.

When the call for all unpaid warrants was issued the First National bank of Fort Smith sent over a warrant that had been issued in 1872 and never been paid calling for \$488.81. The warrant was 35 years old.

### EXCITE FAIRLY RIGHT.

Says All Congressmen Ought to Visit Territory and Learn Something.

Toledo, I. T., July 19.—Senator R. M. La Follette of Wisconsin who is lecturing at the Chickasaw Nation in favor of the removal of restrictions on the lands of all Indians with the exception of the homesteads of the full bloods.

And some of the full bloods I understand are perfectly equal to managing their own affairs," he said. The trouble with congress when it comes to dealing with questions concerning the Indians there is always a misunderstanding of the motive returning any request for legislation comes from the Indian Territory in general. Some think I found everything there is a lurking, full of it and unless congress keeps the lid on it the Indians will be full of it. They find by using their land laws if every senator and congressman could pay a visit to this country they will find it is not a bad thing to see what the Indians are up to.

### The Indian Helped Some.

Lawson, Okla., July 19.—In plot to count on Oklahoma Indians, Phillips awarded the custody of the court in the case of the death of Dr. B. B. Brown to her father and took her away from her husband and of a few days. The husband is charged with having obtained marriage license through fraud and having procured himself in the application.

Shortly after the arrest of Judge Phillips Dr. Brown was arrested on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. Upon his failure to execute the necessary bond he was placed in the city jail. The girl learned of the incarceration and took advantage of the opportunity to return to her husband.

### Mosquitoes Held Up Train.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 19.—A swarm of mosquitoes millions in number literally stalled a Minneapolis and St. Louis train at Bagley last night. For two hours the heavily loaded train was tied up by its fight with the pests and the 120 passengers were almost crazed before their escape.

Because of the hot weather the windows in the passenger coaches had been left open and the mosquitoes driven from the marshes by the rain swarmed into the cars attacking the passengers.

For two hours the train was stalled while the passengers driven from the coaches built fires along the right of way, making a dense smudge which afforded them a little relief.

The smudge was then carried into the coaches and the mosquitoes finally driven out. Many of the passengers had hands and faces almost eaten raw by the attacks.

### Holdenville Boy Shot.

Holdenville, I. T., July 19.—Lam, the twelve-year-old son of George Lee, a local drayman was accidentally shot Wednesday night. He with several other boys was playing in the rear of a store, and a target rifle, which was leaning against the wall, was knocked down and discharged, the bullet entering the right shoulder, running upward into the neck. The boy is in a dangerous condition.

## TAKING OF CENSUS DELAYED

appointments Mr. Hunt will then send out the cards and commissions. It is understood that republican organizations in various parts of the state will make their recommendations in appointments in the expectation that these will be followed as much as possible. Delegates to the constitutional convention, which was in session here this week have also been asked to make recommendations.

### OKLAHOMA NOTES.

(From Kansas City Times)

David Muskrat, a widely known citizen of the Cherokee Nation died of pneumonia at Evansville Ark., July 9.

In a revival at the Lawton Christian church sixty-five persons have been converted.

All the republican newspapers and a few of the democratic newspapers are asserting that they compelled the convention to amend the constitution.

The postoffice name of the town of Lemert is Skedee and of Lawson Quay. Hates for skedee which an Osage Indian once said means wolf frozen-in-the-ice.

Captain Jake Admire says that Colonel Haskell is deploring the fact that he did not learn to swim back wards when he was a boy. From a military standpoint this is clearly a sound for a court martial.

Muskogee, Okla., July 19.—James Harris, of Wagner, who is responsible for the defeat of the 1912 resolutions in the Cherokee county is beginning to make a noise like a man out on a limb with a cut off saw at work between him and the truth.

C. N. Haskell's New State Tribune has begun a defense of William H. Murray against the ridicule of a public newspaper that its severe criticisms of the president of the constitutional convention. The Tribune says that Murray is both a gentleman and a scholar.

W. W. Fitzpatrick, a farmer near Marshall, heard a disturbance among his chickens at night and gave chase with his dogs. The latter followed a trail into the timber and soon had a wildcat at bay with a big fat hen in its mouth. The wildcat was up a tree and Fitzpatrick who is a good shot brought the cat tumbling to the ground dead. It weighed about forty pounds. A hunt was made for the vixen and three kittens were found. All of the rest were shot and of Fitzpatrick's bones and skin. He is thinking that Mr. Bobcat had been his neighbor.

A. Let and William Ellen Brothers living west of Fort B. C. holding that it was raining too hard to work went to the house of the girl, Miss M. H. and after some preliminary conversation stated to Purcell with the farmers' two pretty daughters, Miss O. and Miss Lulu Henry. At Purcell the two brothers and the two sisters were married by the deputy clerk of the district court. The brides went home and prepared supper for their husbands before sundown. The Purcell Register expresses astonishment that the older brother chose the younger sister.

### TO OUST FREEDMEN.

Indian Police Begin Serving Writs—Freedmen threaten Trouble.

Muskogee, I. T., July 19.—Six Indian policemen have left this place for the Cherokee Nation to serve writs of ejectment upon the freedmen of that nation who are on land which has been allotted to citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

The freedmen are applicants for citizenship, but were rejected by the commission. The land they are on they have held pending final settlement of their citizenship. Now the Indians who have allotted the lands have demanded to be put into possession and the Indian agent sent the Indian policemen out to put the negroes off and the Indians on.

There were about 2,000 of these refused applicants, and there will be about 400 to be put off of allotments by the Indian policemen. Some of the freedmen are threatening trouble when an attempt was made to force them out.

### Storekeeper Held Up.

Holdenville, I. T., July 19.—Telephone communication from Spaulding a small town eight miles south of here tells of the daring robbery of J. F. Evans' store Thursday morning in broad day light. T. A. Barnett who works in the store, was alone when two unknown negroes entered and asked for some change. As Barnett opened the cash drawer the negroes covered him with a revolver, took \$60 and a revolver and made their escape.



When you want to enjoy a good appetizing meal at a moderate price, come to the

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Everything strictly first class and clean. Once you eat here you'll become a regular patron.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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### NEW FRISCO TIME CARD

The following new time card is now in effect

**North Bound.**  
No 512—Eastern Express 9:35 a. m.  
No 510—Meteor 4:55 p. m.  
No 504—St. Louis and Kansas City Passenger 11:43 p. m.

**South Bound.**  
No 509—Meteor 9:35 a. m.  
No 511—Texas Passenger 8:23 p. m.  
No 515—Sherman Express 3:05 a. m.

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In buying city lots, improved and unimproved. Now is the time to buy as property valuations are increasing daily. We can show you some fine bargains.

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Have been established in the PIANO and ORGAN business in Oklahoma and Indian Territories for ten years. They are the largest music house in the Southwest, and carry a magnificent line of thirty-two of the best known and most reliable makes of Pianos. They sell from \$50.00 to \$75.00 cheaper than any other firm sell Pianos of the same grade and quality.

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The New Telephone Directory is being prepared for the Printer. We want your name to appear correctly. Any changes you desire, notify the Manager.

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We keep a full line of prescription goods. We know how and can fill any prescription. We don't substitute. We deliver.

## Crescent Drug Store

Dr. F. Z. Holley, Prop.



## Andrew Carnegie

Says the best way to accumulate money is to resolutely save and bank a fixed portion of your income, no matter how small the amount. Suppose you follow the advice of Carnegie who started in life poor and open an account with

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK

## PERSONAL MENTION

Bob Hatchel was here from Bebee. J. M. Wintersmiths baby is quite sick.

Indian curios cheap at Sprague Bros. 101-11

Frank Jones went to Wetumka this morning.

Miss Amanda James Haynes is seriously ill today.

Mrs J. E. Bule will entertain the 42 Club this evening.

R. M. Koddie returned home from Muskogee last night.

Miss Mary Irwin went to Celestine to visit her brother.

Dr. N. B. Shands is transacting business in Wewoka.

Mrs. Mel Davis left for Okemah for a visit with her mother.

Mrs. W. A. Broadford and children are visiting in Muskogee.

J. E. Miles left for Kansas to attend the wedding of a brother.

J. Fred Griffin and Joe A. Edwards were here from Stratford.

Loren E. Seneker, Friscos claim agent was here from Stipula.

Closing out prices on all Indian curios at Sprague Bros. 101-11

D. Cobb from Dallas is the new foreman at the steam laundry.

Mrs. M. L. Lou Armstrong returned today from a visit to Dallas.

J. W. Deaton the Arkansas fruit man is in Ada today on business.

Sam T. McClure and Tom J. Smith of Roff are transacting business in the county seat.

Mrs. W. A. Tipton returned to Hot denville this morning after a visit with her father here.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Stone and Miss Stone departed this afternoon for a visit in Colorado.

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## THE LANHAM PICNIC.

Big Crowd, Lots of Fun and Plenty to Eat.

Geo. A. Harrison, one of Ada's leading citizens, and Delegate Carlton Weaver were guests at the best picnic of the season at Lanham neighborhood Thursday.

They arrived just at the noon hour and were immediately invited to partake of a bountiful dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lanham, and a good dinner it was. George ate until he hurt.

Five beavers were slaughtered and the crowd of a thousand or more were well cared for at the noon hour.

There were all the attractions in evidence from all you want for five to the sweet wind from the orators, the fiddle and the dance, the picture show and whiff-a-gig, the base ball game and the Long Horn drama.

At 1:30 p. m. Carlton Weaver dragged himself from the barbecue and cake to the speakers stand and for an hour talked under difficulty, about the constitution and statehood prospects.

He endeavored to convince the hearers why they should support the constitution and support statehood.

Mr. Weaver was followed by Mr. F. P. O'Hare, a socialist from Vinita. He is a bright fellow and it is thought made a good socialist speech.

The speakers were very courteously presented by Rev. Butler who presided during the speaking.

On a whole the day was a happy one for those who were present and the people of this locality have won a reputation of doing things not by halves.

Ell. Morris was there to keep order but he found nothing to do but eat and have a general good time.

Dr. Chadwick, Sam Hargis and Mr. Statte were also guests at the picnic.

Bitten by Rabbit Out.

The five year old boy of John Sweney who lives northwest of town was bitten Thursday by a cat supposedly infected with rabies.

Sci. Moss' famous mud stone was sought and it clung tenaciously to the wound showing conclusively that there was some sort of poison lurking therein.

Mr. Moss says that the victim of this has found relief from the mauling since it came into his possession. The little store has become quite famous in this country.

Back From the Plains.

J. M. Keltner got back last night from a weeks recreation in the Texas Panhandle country. He visited in Amarillo and Ft. Worth. But for the dust storms he thinks it would be a glorious country. One can almost taste the ozone in the air. Nothing ever drives in a car at night it just drives up in the winter one picks up from under the tires the apples which in the summer and cuts them no lizards to it.

Steel Work Finished.

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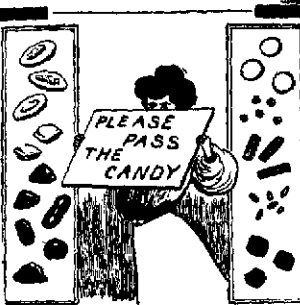
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## JUST PAY US A VISIT.

Forget about the buying, don't be afraid of coming in too often. We shall be glad to see you and the coming in every little while habit is a good one to get.

Beautiful Flow Blue and Gold Semi-Porcelain Dinner Ware this week at 25 per cent off.

Cups and saucers worth \$1.20 per set this week 90c per set. Dinner plates worth 95c per set this week 75c per set.

Breakfast or dessert plates, worth 75c per set, this week 54c.

The 25c Bowls for 19c. The 30c Bowls for 26c. You can see a full line of this splendid ware in our windows.

We save you money on fruit jars.

Quart size 64c per dozen. Half gallon size 74c per dozen.

Fruit jar fillers 5c.

Fruit Press, a time and labor saver, 30c.

12 quart Blue Jay Enameled Preserve Kettle worth 95c, this week 74c.

Saturday next we are going to sell 100 gallon milk crocks at 3c each. No more than five crocks to a customer.

Yes we have Hammocks, Croquet sets, Base Ball goods, fishing tackle, and the prices right.

## The Nickel Store

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The 5c and 10c Store of Ada.

S. M. SHAW Prop.

## The Old

## O. K. MEAT MARKET

is now conducted by Wright Bros. the old time meat market men of Ada who will be pleased to meet all their old time customers. Fresh and cured meats. Pure home rendered lard. Come in and see us. Courteous treatment. Freshest of meats.

WRIGHT BROS.

## W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.

Fourth District in Session Next Week—Leading Officers Coming.

Beginning Monday night, July 22, and lasting through Tuesday and Wednesday, there will occur the convention of the Fourth District Women's Christian Temperance Union of Indian Territory. The meetings will be held in the Christian church at Ada.

Numerous leaders in the organization will be in attendance, including national, territorial and district officers. The convening of the body in Ada is a compliment to the city, and our people will take much interest in the proceedings.

The following is the program arranged for the opening night, Monday, at 8:30 a. m.

Hymn—"Blest Be the Tie."

Prayer—Mrs. L. J. Ross, Territorial Corresponding Secretary.

Music.

Address of Welcome—Five minutes each—For the City, The Mayor. For the churches, Rev. T. B. Harrell. For the church societies, Mrs. A. H. Constant. For the Ladies Federation, Mrs. Orville Sneed. For the legal fraternity, Col. J. F. McKeel. For the local W. C. T. U., Mrs. C. O. Barton.

Music.

Offering.

Announcements.

Benediction.

Retirements.

## 25,000 Club Meeting.

The 25,000 club is called to meet this afternoon at five to transact important business. It is rumored Ada has a chance to get another railroad.

W. A. Alexander attended to some business in Stonewall today.

Homer S. Fox, special insurance agent is transacting business here.

D. F. Eagleton of Sherman is in the city in the interest of Austin College.

We are glad to see Joe Biles out mungling with friends after a spell of fever.

Chris Little who has been confined to his home with fever for some time is improving.

Miss M.urette Linton of Sherman is visiting her sister, Mrs. Billa and Miss L. dora and Vera Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Pegues of Longview are in the city the guest of their daughter, Mrs. H. C. Thompson.

W. H. Hall the round hole gin man is here from Duncan planning for further repairs on the local plant.

Frank Jackson returned from Mulberry Ark. last night where he has been visiting his parents. He says he had a splendid time.

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B. Mayer and wife were here from Conway shopping.

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## Up-to-Date



# PRIEST DRAGGED TO HIS DEATH.

AWFUL PENALTY IMPOSED BY YOUNG MAN CHEATED OUT OF HIS BRIDE.

## INTERFERED WITH MARRIAGE

Disappointed Bridegroom Meets Priest Who Turned Sweetheart Against Him and Wreaks Vengeance with Lariat.

Zacatecas, Mexico.—Father Louis de Stefano, an Italian priest of the little town of Zarco, this state, has just paid the penalty of interfering with the proposed marriage of two young people of his parish with death of the most tragic kind. The Popoca and Bustamante families are among the wealthiest and most prominent in the state. Some of the richest and best producing mines in this part of Mexico belong to them. Their vast landed estates are situated adjacent to each other. Paulina Popoca and Flaco Bustamante learned to love each other in childhood. It was a constant and sincere affection that ripened as they grew older. Bustamante embraced the Protestant religious faith when he reached manhood, but Miss Popoca continued a Catholic. The fact that her devoted lover was a Protestant did not arouse the objections of the girl's parents to the proposed union. They both recently returned from the United States, where they were educated at the best schools of that country. The preparations for the wedding went forward with no thought that there could be any hitch in the programme.

Several days ago Miss Popoca visited the parish church for the purpose of making final confession before the wedding took place, as is the custom here. Her father confessor was the priest Stefano. She remained several hours at the confessional, and when she returned to her home it was with a broken spirit. She told her parents that the padre had told her that in even entertaining the thought of marrying a Protestant she was placing her soul in jeopardy, and that should she actually allow herself to be drawn into the marriage her future would be utterly damned. A conference of the members of the two families was held and an effort made to remove the firm resolve that Miss Popoca had made to break the engagement on account of the priest's warnings. She remained firm in her re-

solve that the marriage should not take place.

Bustamante received the intelligence without a word. The lines around his mouth tightened, and, with set face he walked out of the room and mounted his horse. He was on his way to his home when he met Father Stefano who was also riding a horse. Bustamante's lariat was gathered in a coil around the pommel of his saddle. He unloosened it and, riding straight to ward the priest, he throw the rope with dexterous hands, the coil settling over the head of the astonished man. The noose was quickly tightened around the neck of Father Stefano.



He Dragged Him at Top-Speed.

and, putting spurs to his horse, he dragged Father Stefano from his saddle and along the rough road for several miles until the last spark of life had left his body.

Bustamante left the dead body lying in the road and rode off into the mountains. The horrible crime was soon discovered—in fact, a number of Mexican laborers are said to have seen its perpetration. A force of rurales was sent in pursuit of Bustamante, but up to this time he has evaded capture. It is reported that he has joined a band of desperate outlaws in the mountains and that he has announced the intention of following the life of a brigand. The terrible tragedy and the events which preceded it have created a stir throughout a large portion of this state. The prominence and wealth of the families involved add to the interest in the affair.

## OILER RISKS HIS LIFE FOR SHIP'S PET MONKEY

CRAWLS INTO HOLD, BLACK AS NIGHT, AND EMERGES AFTER THREE HOURS' SEARCH.

Boston.—A chattering monkey and a greasy ship's oiler didn't look much like participants in a thrilling episode at sea as the big British freight steamship Gordon Castle, from Calcutta and Colombo, swung into her berth at National dock, East Boston, the other day, but every man aboard



Man and Monkey Emerged from the Hatch.

ship, from Capt. Burt down to the little Lascar messboy, swears that Karl A. Tammelin, of Finland and Sapho, the captain's pet monkey, are hero and heroine of a real thriller.

As the ship gradually made her morning Sapho suffered from the cold and spent a good part of her time in the engine room. She was down in her customary berth one day when the ship was rolling in a tremendous sea and suddenly the monkey, caught unawares, was sent headlong against a hot bearing.

With a scream of pain the monkey tried to get away, but with another lurch of the ship, and with nothing but the iron floor to grip, she was again sent against the hot bearing. She dashed out of sight and her cry was heard off in the direction of the hold.

For eight hours nothing was seen of Sapho. Capt. Burt called for a volunteer to rescue her. Tammelin asked for permission to get the monkey. Through a little aperture through which his huge frame could hardly be squeezed he made his way

into the hold, that was as black as night.

Then for three hours there was not a sound from the hold. Capt. Burt called for volunteers to rescue the Finn, who, he thought was dead. It was decided to lift the hatches amid ships and take out cargo enough so that the bilge could be reached. This work was going on when Tammelin emerged with the terrified monkey in his arms. He was soaked with salty water.

Running on deck, he threw himself on his knees, raised his hands and offered a prayer of thankfulness for his deliverance and the deliverance of Sapho from death.

It was a strange gathering about the Finn. For days Sapho clung to her rescuer. When Tammelin ate his meals Sapho was on his knee. When Tammelin oiled the engine Sapho was clinging desperately to his neck.

## IRATE FATHER AVENGES GIRL.

Takes Young Man Who Jilted Daughter on Rapid Jaunt.

Washington, Pa.—Securely fastened at the end of a rope and tied to the buggy of an irate father, whose daughter he had unfeelingly jilted, almost on the day set for the wedding, Walter Edson, the fickle sweetheart, was compelled to trot four miles behind the rig driven by Henry Sheller. A portion of the road was traveled at a fast gait.

Edson was to have married Florence Sheller. Three days before the date set for the wedding, after visiting his prospective bride and renewing his promises of marriage, he went to Pittsburgh, where on the same day he married Miss Mae Cole. He boldly brought her back home and boasted that he had no explanation to offer his promised bride.

A few days later Sheller went to the sawmill where Edson worked, called him out, and at once overpowered him and hitched him to the buggy. He then drove hurriedly to Edson's home, where he forced the young man to gather up every letter written by his daughter and every present given by her to young Edson, and later made him take an oath before a justice never to molest the girl or any member of the family.

## Swarming Bees Halt Business.

Baltimore, Md.—A few thousand bees picked an awning on Lexington street as a nice place to swarm, and traffic in the retail district was interrupted for an hour the other morning. The mass of insects was nearly a foot thick, and they had the pedestrians thoroughly cowed. Finally a shopkeeper who had lived in the country mounted a stepladder and swept the bees in a box with his bare hands. A merchant desiring to get rid of a few that were left, stirred them up with a pole, and as a result his store was closed for half a day.

## WOMEN MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS.

Two Maine Girls Ascend Mount Katahdin Over the Snow.

While camping at Togue pond ten miles from Mount Katahdin, Misses Jane given and Carrie Crocker of Millinocket, Me., accomplished the difficult feat of ascending Katahdin over the snow, says the Kennebec Journal. Starting from camp at Togue pond with a guide, they made a distance of eight miles on snowshoes, and spent the night at Birch camp on Rum mountain, and about two and one-half miles from the foot of the slide. Birch camp is a tiny structure eight by ten feet on the ground, and just high enough to permit one to stand erect when under the ridgepole. It is built of birch logs and has a roof of birch bark. The doorway is so small that one has to bend nearly double in order to enter. Leaving their guide at the camp the next morning the two young women ascended the mountain by what is known as the east slide, and found themselves on a tableland a few feet in width. Farther on was a peak somewhat higher, but separated from the tableland on which they stood by Pomola gulch, which their guide had assured them was impassable in winter.

After ascending nearly to the edge of the gulch and taking a few pictures, warned by the approaching heavy clouds, the young women started down the mountain on the other side of the slide. The descent was rapid, but spasmodic. They were

## STORY OF A FLIRTATION.

But Really There Was Nothing Very Shocking About It.

He was sitting alone in the room when she entered. She seemed somewhat surprised to see him. However, she did not retire, but stood regarding him doubtfully. The inspection was apparently satisfactory, for she smiled.

He had never seen her before, but he could not help smiling back at her. She was quite pretty, blue eyes, fluffy hair and all that sort of thing.

"You're not afraid of me?" he ventured.

"No," she replied, smiling again at the absurdity of the idea.

"Won't you please come and talk to me? I'm so lonely," he felt emboldened to say.

She replied by seating herself at his side and glancing up at him with a roguish twinkle in her eyes. "I really believe you'd be more comfortable on my knee," he whispered.

Without more ado she seated herself on his knee and placed her pretty arm around his neck.

She was really a most charming young lady and—

"Won't you give me a kiss—just one?" he asked, pleadingly.

She looked at him roguishly and nodded assent. Then she nestled up to his cheek and kissed him daintily. He liked it.

"How old are you?" he asked, after a moment. It sounded rude, he knew,

## SOON TO WED SENATOR BEVERIDGE



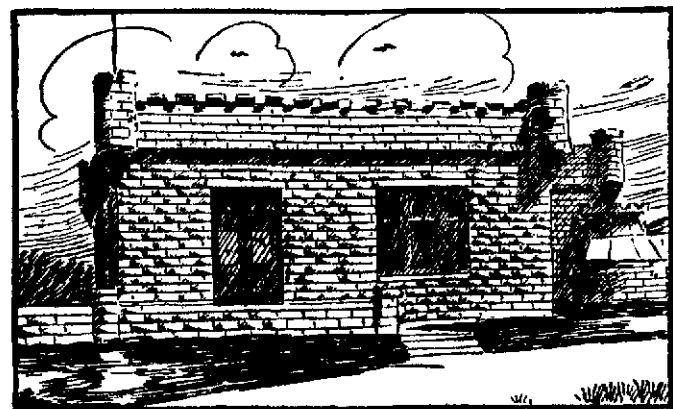
By his marriage with Miss Katherine Eddy of Chicago, the Indiana statesman will secure one of the most charming of the Garden City's social beauties, entry into the most exclusive social circles of America, and the control of an immense fortune. Miss Eddy is 23 years old, Senator Beveridge is 48, and a widower.

compelled to slide from tree to tree, and though the distance slid was usually not more than six feet, they usually brought up against the tree with much force. They reached the camp at the foot of the mountain considerably the worse for their rough experience, but made their way over the eight miles that separated them from Togue pond that afternoon.

## A Handy Box.

A new piece of bedroom furniture that is practical as well as novel is the chest of shirt-waist boxes. The ordinary shirt-waist box is not particularly new. They have been seen for some time in the smart shops, with the box covered with cretonne, which, however, quickly becomes soiled if it is continually handled, and the whole set looks unpleasant and ugly. The success of this chest of boxes is the use of sanitas for covering. Sanitas is made now in the latest colorings and very pretty designs, and can be readily cleaned when soiled. The various articles for the toilet table, such as the glove box, the handkerchief box, etc., may be covered with sanitas in the same way.

## ART MUSEUM BUILT BY INDIANS



Of all the buildings at the U. S. Indian industrial school at Carlisle in Pennsylvania none are so interesting as the recently completed Leupp art museum, because it represents the work of the students themselves. They not only built the building with their own hands, but the football team of the school earned the money for the material, putting into it all of the profits of the games they played last year. The plans were drawn by George Balenti, a Cheyenne Indian graduate of the school. The museum is in charge of Alfred M. Veano, a full-blooded Chippewa Indian, who also conducts a Bible class for Indian youths.

# CREPT EIGHT DAYS ON BARREN LANDS.

PROSPECTOR BUNN HAD TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE IN THE FAR FROZEN NORTH.

## LIVED ON MOSS AND BERRIES

Finally Reached Deserted Indian Camp Where He Existed on Fish Until Natives Returned and Took Care of Him.

Edmonton, Alta.—The arrest of Charlie Bunn on a charge which the police say may be changed to murder, again brings into the limelight a man who for nine days was lost in the Land of the Midnight Sun. Several weeks ago at Athabasca landing he got in a mix-up with one Prudden, who is now in such a precarious condition it is feared he will die.

Charlie Bunn has lived the life of a nomad from his earliest days, spending several years as a jockey in the United States. On reaching manhood he came to Montana, where he spent some years as a cowboy, then as deputy sheriff and sub-Indian agent for the state. During the Klondike gold rush Bunn came to Edmonton on his way north, arriving here in the summer of 1898. Pushing on toward the Klondike he reached the Great Slave lake and was so impressed with the country he decided to remain. He stayed at the Great Slave about a year, but the spirit of adventure was strong within him and when the opportunity to join the Bell exploration party presented he gladly accepted and the sequel was one of the most interesting tales ever brought from the great north.

The Bell exploration party was sent out by the geological department of the Ottawa government to discover the source of the Copper Mine river away up near the mouth of the Mackenzie. Indian legends and traders' tales told of a mountain of almost pure copper from which the river had its source. The party, consisting of Bell, Bunn and two half-breed guides, went down the Mackenzie, up the Bear river, across Great Bear lake, up the Copper Mine river as far as possible, and then started to portage across the country. But the supplies ran low, and it was evident the entire party would not be able to reach the point for which they had set out. They decided to divide the party.

Bell took one guide and all the supplies and pushed on in a last attempt to fulfill the mission, while Bunn and the other guide, named Trombley, intended to return to the last cache and there wait for Bell. On the way back in clambering over the rocks, Bunn slipped, dislocating his ankle. He called to the guide to wait, but Trombley made no response and went to the cache alone. Bunn hobbled after, but soon realized he was deserted and



The Guide Deserted Him.

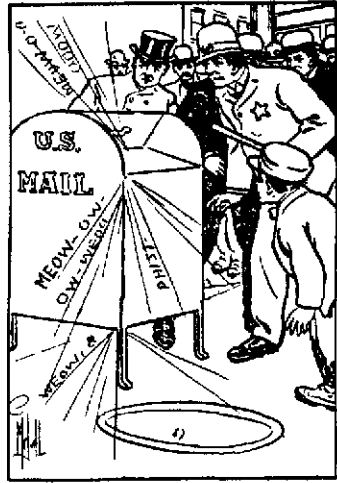
lost on the barren lands of the north. He wandered in the direction of an Indian camp he had seen on the way, but soon lost all idea of direction, and for eight days and nights crawled over the frozen plains without fire, his only food being the moss and berries he could gather from the snow.

The agony of that time can never be painted in words, but toward the end he became delirious and in this condition reached a deserted Indian camp on the Great Bear. He put out some nets found in the deserted tents and secured some fish. The food gave him life until the Indians returned from a hunting trip. The Indians cared for him through the long, weary winter and in the spring, took him to Patton's trading post at the mouth of the Mackenzie, where he took passage with a party of traders and came to Edmonton.

## WOMAN PUT FELINE INTO BIG MAIL BOX

IT RAISED SUCH A RUMPUS THAT POLICEMAN HAD TO SECURE ITS RELEASE.

New York.—A tall woman sauntered up to the big package mail box at Forty-second street and Sixth avenue the other day and pushed something



A Great Crowd Gathered.

through the opening. It fell to the bottom, and the woman scurried away.

In a few minutes the cabbies on the corner began to hear loud wails from the mail box.

"Sure, it's a baby," quoth one. "Baby, yer eye," disdainfully interrupted another. "Did ye ever hear a baby cry so loud and lingering like?"

The wails finally became so loud that the cabbies called Policeman Hare. He listened a minute, and then, shifting his nightstick to the other hand, drew his 'rusty' weapon and cautiously crept up on the mail box. There was no doubt the sounds came from there.

One of the few things a policeman can't do is to open a mail box, so he stood perplexed until he happened to think of the sub-post office. He telephoned to Station H, on Madison avenue, and told them a baby or something that could make equally as much noise had taken possession of the big box on his beat, and he couldn't make an arrest until some one opened it.

William L. Quinlan, a clerk, was sent with a key and opened the box. Out jumped a wildly excited Maltese cat, which blinked and winked in the electric light, and then began rubbing against the policeman's leg.

Attached to the cat's neck was a tag with the following:

"My name is Dolly Gray. I am the mother of five kittens, and had a

good home until hard times reduced me to poverty and caused me to desert my little ones. I will guarantee to keep a house clean from mice for a good home. Where do I stand?"

"DOLLY GRAY."

The cat was taken to the station and will be adopted as a mascot unless some one claims it. The police think some hilarious theater party kidnaped it from a restaurant and dropped it in the box as a practical joke.

## NAKED BOYS SHOCK ST. LOUIS.

Young Swimmers Flee in Nature's Garb from Park Policeman.

St. Louis.—Fifteen naked boys scampering on front lawns and through back yards, played havoc with the aristocratic dignity of Lindell boulevard, near Forest park recently. Cries of indignation arose from mamma's behind windows and mingled with shrieks of dismay from daughters sitting on the front porches of the mansions which face the park.

In full pursuit of the youngsters, all of whom were between 12 and 16 years of age, was Park Watchman Patrick Walsh, who had surprised them enjoying a swim in Murphy's lake, reserved by the government as a hatchery.

Officer Walsh swooped down upon the hiding place of their discarded clothes and blew his whistle for reinforcements. Only by shouting fervent assurances of immunity did Officer Walsh finally succeed in inducing the lads to return and don their captured street costumes.

## Chicago Cats Tough.

Chicago.—In order to escape being killed by a pursuing Boston bull terrier, a cat, the pet of the Midway club, leaped out of the eighteenth story window of the First National bank building and landed on the skylight of the bank quarters on the third floor.

The heavy wire screening above the glass was bent and twisted by the impact and a few pieces of glass fell to one of the clerks' cages on the floor below, but the cat escaped uninjured. Fifteen minutes after the fall the animal returned to its quarters on the eighteenth floor lunch room, a little bit dicky-legged, it is true, but otherwise all right.

## Lots Like Him.

"I suppose you'll send your wife to the shore again this summer?"

"Nit. Can't afford it."

"Why, she isn't extravagant, is she?"

"Not at all. But last summer, all the time she was away, I spent a hundred a week."

## Plenty to Spare.

Servant Girl—I left my last night because I could not get enough eat.

Master—You won't find that case here. My wife does the cooking, and there is always a lot left every meal.